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EIGHTEEN EIGHT-COLUMN PAGES

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Pantages—Vaudeville.  
Dominion—A Girl Named Mary.  
Variety—Behind the Door.  
Columbia—Six Shooter Andy.  
Romano—For a Woman's Honor.

## AREA IN GERMANY OCCUPIED BY FRENCH

### Budget Principal Is Liquidation Through Immediate Taxation

Premier Oliver Says Finance Minister Has Met Expenditure Without Dissipating Capital Assets; Provincial Rights Discussed in Grave Terms.

Legislative Press Gallery,  
Afternoon Sitting, April 6.

With an address which occupied the attention of the Legislature for more than two hours this afternoon Premier Oliver completed the Government's contribution to the debate on the budget. British Columbia's financial affairs, her changing fortunes during the last two decades, and a general review of conditions as they exist today were examined in minute detail by the Leader of the Administration. Scarcely a subject rightly coming within the official purview of the Government escaped some reference by the Premier, who made the most of his opportunity to deal with the charges levelled against himself and his colleagues by his Opposition critics. By a process of comparison he endeavored to convince the

House that the record of the present Administration from a financial standpoint would bear exhaustive inspection. He believes it has been demonstrated to the people of the Province that the Minister of Finance can provide a sufficiency of revenue to carry on the business of the country without resorting to the sale of capital assets, an achievement, he considered, which spoke for itself.

**Land Settlement.**  
The Premier rallied to the defence of the Provincial Land Settlement Board with the suggestion that its creation was made necessary by the absence of any land settlement policy when the present Government took office. While admitting that some of the component parts of the structure might not have been all that could have been desired, Mr. Oliver declared that the principle was the right one, and that the Board had justified both its creation and its maintenance.

Timber legislation and the cause of prevailing high prices of lumber generally were referred to by the Premier, who took occasion to remind the Leader of the Opposition that no less than 11,000,000 acres of the choicest timber lands had been placed under license during his term of office with the result that there were now no accessible Crown timber lands left in the province.

**Provincial Rights.**  
Provincial rights engaged the attention of Mr. Oliver, who declared to the House that the position of the Province, more especially in relation to the continued disallowance of the Settlers' Rights Act of 1904 as well as the threatened disallowance of the Dolly Varden Railway Bill, demanded the most careful attention and consideration of the Government, the Legislature and the people of British Columbia as a whole. The Premier gave no hint, however, as to the possible course that might be adopted in the event of Ottawa's attitude continuing to develop along lines suggestive of corporate persuasion and treachery.

**The Speech.**  
Following the custom by Government and Opposition members alike, the Premier expressed his sense of appreciation of the clearness of facts which marked the speech of the Minister of Finance, and described it as an effort unequalled in the history of the Province.

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**PICKETS SAY THEY WILL USE PLANE**

Four "Irish Republic" Women Arrested at Washington British Embassy

Washington, April 6.—Disregarding warnings of the Federal Government that they would be prosecuted under federal penal statutes, two women favorable to an Irish Republic resumed picketing of the British Embassy which led yesterday to two arrests.

A few minutes after the women appeared carrying banners they were warned by the police to leave, and when they failed to obey were arrested. They gave their names as Mrs. Honor Walsh, Germantown, Pa., and Miss Elaine Barrie, of Philadelphia.

After being booked at police headquarters on charges of violating the federal statute making it a felony to assault a diplomatic representative of a foreign Government, the women were taken to the House of Detention.

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**RAILWAY EARNINGS.**  
Toronto, April 6.—Gross earnings of the Canadian National Railways for the week ended March 31 were \$2,868,840, being an increase of 446,677 over the corresponding week of 1919.

An increase of \$1,331,832 is indicated by the report of gross earnings for the year to date, which amount is \$21,544,947.

### ESTHONIANS USING YUDENITCH NOTES TO MAKE NEWSPRINT

Stockholm, April 6.—A new supply of material for newspaper paper has been discovered. According to the Helsingfors correspondent of The Tidningen, banknotes issued by General Yudenitch for the Russian Northwest Army are being ground into pulp at an Estonian paper mill.

### BOLSHEVIKI HOPE FOR TURN-OVER IN PERSIA SOON

Moscow, March 29 (delayed).—At a meeting of the Persian Communist Party held March 27 a manifesto was issued saying: "The time is not far distant when the Red flag of the Free Proletariat will be raised in the East," according to advice received here.

### REDS LOST 300 KILLED IN BATTLE IN WEST GERMANY

Berlin, April 6.—The Reds lost 300 killed in fighting with Government troops near Pelken, southwest of Hamm, Westphalia, according to a dispatch from Hamm to The Lokal Anzeiger to-day. Two armored cars and one flying squadron participated in the action.

### BIG NAVAL BASE

Washington, April 6.—The Senate Naval Committee to-day voted to establish an extensive deep-water naval base on San Francisco Bay, and authorized the appointment of a naval commission to decide on a site and submit plans and recommendations by October 1, 1920.

### \$10,000,000 IN GOLD ARRIVED TO-DAY IN U. S. FROM LONDON

New York, April 6.—A shipment of gold valued at approximately \$10,000,000 arrived here to-day from London on the steamship Minnekahda, consigned to New York bankers.

### PAPERS ENDORSE MOVE BY FRANCE

Paris Writers Say Occupation of Cities in Germany Unavoidable

Some Writers Deplore Fact No Other Allied Troops Present

Paris, April 6.—Occupation of Frankfurt, Darmstadt and other German cities in the neutral zone by French troops is generally endorsed by newspapers here of all shades of political opinion. It is recognized the operation will be risky and burdensome, but it is regarded as unavoidable in view of the tendencies of the Berlin Government.

Critics of the Premier, however, deplore the fact that the Allies are not participating in the movement.

"France will enforce respect of the Treaty of Versailles, but the Allies will not help to do it," is a caption appearing in to-day's edition of L'Ouvrier, the inference drawn being that the purely platonic nature of the Allied support is due to failure on the part of M. Millerand and his aides to meet the exigencies of the situation.

**Concrete Support.**  
Pertinax, political editor of The Echo de Paris, says more concrete support will be forthcoming as a result of the Premier's statement, issued last night. He says M. Millerand is "fully capable of convincing President Wilson himself if he is still guided by rules of logic."

"Mr. Wilson's memorandum of March 29," the writer continues, "said dispatch of more German troops into the Ruhr district must, in his opinion, be justified by the course of events. We do not expect passive acceptance of an accomplished fact from our allies, but the confident assistance to which they have accustomed us."

**Precautionary.**  
Premier Millerand's note on the subject of occupying German cities east of the Rhine declared the Berlin Government has "given way to pressure by a military and political nature," and could not be deferred, and the Premier declared if Germany had carried out the disarmament clauses of the Versailles Treaty neither the Kapp revolt nor the Ruhr revolution would have occurred.

The convicted men while waiting for the court to convene conversed freely and apparently light-heartedly with their families and friends in the courtroom, John Queen in particular keeping the relatives of the prisoners, who were in the jury box, in laughter.

**No Statements.**  
Mr. Justice Metcalf asked if counsel for the convicted men wished to make any statement. E. J. McMurray stated that they did not.

Mr. Justice Metcalf then asked for the indictment against William Ivens, the first of the convicted men to be sentenced, if he wished to say anything. Mr. Ivens stated that he did not, and was sentenced.

As each of the convicted strike leaders received the sentence he was taken in charge by one of the court.

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**MAIN ORE BODY AT DOLLY VARDEN**

Found at 550-Foot Level of Mine; Strike Runs About Eighty Ounces

Vancouver, April 6.—Word was received from the North yesterday that the main ore body of the Dolly Varden mine had been struck at the 550-foot level in a tunnel which had been in process of drifting for some months past.

This gives a vertical depth on the lead of 500 feet. The ore was encountered almost 150 feet from the portal. No particulars of the strike are available except that it is said to run about eighty ounces, and that the silver content is of rubry in argente, with less native than was found at the higher levels.

**BERLIN GOVERNMENT TROOPS MARCH INTO THE CITY OF ESSEN**

Essen, April 6.—(Associated Press)—Reichswehr forces marched into Essen from two sides of the town this morning.

### Frankfort, Darmstadt and Other Towns In Germany Are Seized

Area Occupied by French Troops to Force German Government to Observe Treaty of Versailles Is an Extension of Mayence Bridgehead.

Darmstadt, April 6.—(Associated Press)—This city was occupied by French troops at 7 o'clock this morning. The occupation was effected without incident.

Frankfort, April 6.—(Associated Press)—Frankfort was occupied without incident by French troops early to-day and with the cavalry in the lead, followed by the infantry and artillery, the occupying forces pressed rapidly beyond the city. They met with no opposition. By ten o'clock in the morning the cavalry had reached Eckenheim (three miles north of Frankfort). The entire operation was expected to be completed during the day.

The occupation takes the form of an extension of the French lines around the bridgehead of Mayence a distance of about eighteen miles. The extreme limits of the advance form a semi-circle similar to, but larger than that of the original zone of occupation.

### MORAL SUPPORT OF ITALY TO FRANCE

Newspaper Report; Paris Dispatch Says France Awaits Allies' Statements

Rome, April 6.—The Popolo Romano says to-day that at a Cabinet meeting Monday the Government decided to extend to France Italy's moral support in the French occupation of Frankfurt and other German cities. The Cabinet agreed, however, that under no circumstances would Italy be a party to any military measures against Germany, the newspaper states.

**Replies Awaited.**  
Paris, April 6.—Up to noon to-day the French Government had not received a reply from Great Britain and Italy to its notification to them of the occupation of Frankfurt, Darmstadt and other German cities of the Rhineland.

**Millerand Confident.**  
Paris, April 6.—Chief interest in the situation created by the advance of French troops into Germany as evinced by newspapers here is whether the Allies will support the French and to what extent. This question was put to Premier Millerand by The Echo de Paris last night. The Premier answered: "Britain was victorious and so was France. I am confident everything will work out perfectly."

Asked who would pay the expense incident to occupation, M. Millerand replied: "Why, Germany, obviously, since it was she, by her acts, who obliged us to resort to coercion."

**Stirring Scenes.**  
Stirring scenes at Mayence yesterday are described by Henri Bidou, military critic of The Journal des Debats, in a telegram to his paper. He says that during the afternoon troops began to move and soon automobiles and field kitchens began moving eastward, accompanied by Moroccan troops with machine guns.

**MARSHAL FOCH HAS A CONFERENCE WITH PREMIER OF FRANCE**

Paris, April 6.—Marshal Foch had a conference this morning with Premier Millerand. Later the Premier received Hugh C. Wallace, the United States Ambassador.

**UNIQUE PROVISION IN "MOVIE" AMENDMENTS**

Mr. Farris Sows Seed For All-Canadian Film Service

Legislative Press Gallery,  
Afternoon Sitting, April 6.

Legislation of an unique character was introduced to the Legislature by the Hon. W. de B. Farris, Attorney-General and Minister of Labor, this afternoon. The bill in question is an amendment to the British Columbia Moving Picture Act, designed to authorize the creation of machinery for the taking of pictures in British Columbia of an educational nature and for their exhibition in the "movies" and amusement houses of the Province.

The contemplated widened powers comprehend the desire on the part of the general public to learn something of the natural wealth of the Province, its agricultural, commercial and industrial activities in an interesting form. Nor will the film display be limited to British Columbia in its scope. As far as general illustrative fare is concerned it will include Canada as a whole. Historical and current events depicted in the form of an all-Canadian film service in the matter of purely educational and domestic subjects peculiar to this Dominion. And one provision of the bill indicates that for a period not exceeding fifteen minutes each day the Moving Picture Theatres of the Province will include what may be termed an official provincial section.

The bill was given its first reading.

### Boy Problem Occupied Rotary Session To-day In Its Many Phases

The big Rotary conference at the Empress Hotel got down to the boy problem to-day and wrestled with it all morning, except for the few minutes required for the fish resolution of Frank Higgins, K.C., of Victoria, and a couple of other minor matters. "Most cordial greetings as you take up discussion of boys' work. Undoubtedly this is the work with the greatest possibilities ever undertaken by Rotary. Also it is a work of great joy, satisfaction and privilege. May you set a mark this year in boys' work which will require hard effort to match."

The foregoing was the telegram read by William J. Smith of Seattle from Walter W. Strong of Chicago, head of the boys' work for International Rotary.

**Boys' Work.**  
"How many of you have boys?" asked Bert Adams, International President.

About ninety per cent. of the delegates put up their hands. "How many of you give time to your boy each day?"

Only about thirty per cent. of the delegates raised their hands. "There you have it," said Mr. Adams.

"If Rotary can get its own members to give to their own boys an hour a day we will begin to solve this problem."

"Does that boy of yours feel that he can come to you as the best friend he has got? Do you make him your pal or does he have to go outside? Your first duty as a Rotarian is the boy problem is to your own boy."

"If we solve the boy problem there won't be any girl problem. The boys of to-day are the husbands of your daughters to-morrow. Do not only put your money into the work, but your heart and soul."

**Not Ready Yet.**  
Mr. Adams said that it was impossible to standardize boys' work yet.

Fred Everett, of Seattle, recalled to the conference these words he saw on an early tombstone in California: "There is a destiny that makes us brothers, none goes his way alone."

"All that we send into the lives of others, comes back into our own."

"The boy who hasn't a Rotarian for his father is the boy I am concerned about," said Rotarian Marshall, of Bellingham.

newspaper on the streets in this morning. Rotary stands for boys. I suppose that is because Victoria stands for boys."

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**TO UNITED STATES.**  
Pittsburg, Kas., April 6.—Alexander Howat, head of the Kansas coal miners, definitely refused to-day to go into the Industrial Relations Court and participate in the investigation of the coal mining industry.

"We will not recognize the Industrial Court," Howat declared.

Howat said that the resolutions adopted by the recent district convention of the miners had made the position of the miners clear.

**BRITISH OFFICERS FREED BY TURKS**

Turk Nationalists Set Colonel Rawlinson and Capt. Forbes at Liberty

Constantinople, April 6.—Captain Forbes, a British control officer at Amasia, who was recently taken prisoner by Turkish Nationalists, has been released and is en route to this city. It is also reported that Colonel Rawlinson, British control officer at Erzerum, who also was a prisoner, has been freed by the Nationalists.

Reports taken in this city have stated that the Cabinet of Sali Pasha was forced to resign because of pressure brought to bear on the Government as a result of the capture of these two officers.

**INTERESTS DOCTORS IN MISSION WORK**

Vancouver, April 6.—Rev. Dr. Service, a medical missionary in China for the past seventeen years, is a visitor in Vancouver for the purpose of interviewing a number of medical and dental practitioners to interest them in missions. He has spent the past few months in Canada on recruiting work among members of these professions.

### Six Strike Leaders Are Sentenced at Winnipeg

Winnipeg, April 6.—(Canadian Press)—Sentence was pronounced on the six convicted strike leaders by Mr. Justice Metcalf in the assize court here to-day. William Ivens, George Armstrong, W. A. Pritchard, John Queen and J. J. Johns were sentenced to one year on each of the six counts of seditious conspiracy on which they were convicted and to six months on the count of common nuisance, the sentences to run concurrently, making the term to be served by each in the provincial jail one year. R. E. Bray, found guilty of a charge of common nuisance, was sentenced to six months in the provincial jail.

Before being sentenced each of the convicted men, with the exception of William Ivens, was asked if he had anything to say, condemned the trial as unfair and reiterated his adherence to the principles of the right of general strike and free speech.

**Crowds Present.**  
Crowds of sympathizers thronged the court and crowded the halls of the courthouse. They were more orderly and took the announcement of the sentences without any demonstration. Preparations had been made to care for any demonstrations which might have been made, and squads of provincial police and Royal Canadian Mounted Police were stationed in the courthouse.

The convicted men while waiting for the court to convene conversed freely and apparently light-heartedly with their families and friends in the courtroom, John Queen in particular keeping the relatives of the prisoners, who were in the jury box, in laughter.

When Mr. Justice Metcalf entered the court A. J. Andrews, Crown counsel, moved for sentence.

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### MUSIC COMPOSERS TO BE ELECTED TO SENATE OF ITALY

Rome, April 6.—Pietro Maccagni and Giacomo Puccini, the famous composers, will be elected to the Italian Senate before the reopening of Parliament, says The Giornale d'Italia.

### STATES AIRSHIP MAY SUBMERGE

Flannery, British Marine Engineer, Predicts Great Development of Future

London, April 6.—That an airship which will be able to fly, float on the water and submerge is "no impossible dream of the future," in the judgment of Sir Fortescue Flannery, M. P.

This statement is quoted from a speech made at a banquet held by the Society of Consulting Marine Engineers and Ship Surveyors, of which Sir Fortescue is president. He added that some of those present might live to see this prediction materialize.

**JAPANESE DESIRE UNREST SETTLED IN SIBERIAN AREA**

Honolulu, April 6.—(Associated Press).—Cable advices received here to-day from Tokyo by The Nippon Jiji, a Japanese language newspaper, state that Minister of War Tanaka has dispatched a note to the Social Revolutionary Government at Vladivostok saying that Japan will immediately withdraw her troops from Siberia if the Russian revolutionists will settle the unrest in Vladivostok.

General OI, commanding the Japanese troops, has informed revolutionists, the cable stated, that the troops would be withdrawn, if the Russians would restrict the movement of Koreans to Siberia and guard the railroads. No time for the withdrawal of the Japanese was announced.

**France and Italy Given Former Enemy Warships**

Paris, April 6.—(French Wireless Service).—Particulars of the distribution of enemy warships among the Allies have just been published here.

France's share, which is ten per cent. of the total tonnage of all the captured enemy ships with the exception of submarines, represents 92,000 tons, half of which is in German ships and the remainder in Austrian vessels. Five cruisers and ten destroyers are allotted to France, and the same number of cruisers and destroyers are allotted to Italy. Each of these two powers also will receive a light cruiser and three destroyers, which may be used for a year for experimental purposes, but must be destroyed when that time has elapsed.

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## MRS. WOOLWORTH IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Little Hope For Recovery of Owner of Five-Cent Stores

New York, April 6.—Mrs. Jennie Woolworth, widow of Frank Woolworth, founder of the Woolworth Five and Ten-Cent Stores, is seriously ill at her home on Long Island, and little hope is entertained for her recovery, according to affidavits filed in the Supreme Court here yesterday by her physician, Dr. William H. Zabriskie. The court approved a report of Referee Carlisle Norwood recommending the appointment of her daughters, Helen Woolworth McCann and Jessie Woolworth Donahue, as co-members of the committee of their mother's estate, which is valued at approximately \$30,000,000.

## NELSON PAPER WELCOMES CHOICE OF LADY HEALTH OFFICER

The Nelson Daily News makes editorial reference to Dr. Isabel Arthur as follows:  
"Appointment of Dr. Isabel Arthur as city medical health officer will be accepted as recognition of the excellent work which she has accomplished while acting in that post since the enlistment of Dr. E. C. Arthur for overseas service.  
"Dr. E. C. Arthur has returned and is now a member of the Provincial Health Department medical staff.  
"The medical health officership is no sinecure, and Dr. Isabel Arthur has been carrying on the work in a most satisfactory way. She has given sensible, wholehearted service to the city and citizens, and in making her appointment permanent the City Council has done the right thing."

## NATIONALISTS IN "TURKEY ARE STRONG

Constantinople, April 5.—Via London April 5.—Announcement was made to-day that the resignation of the Cabinet of Sali Pasha and the designation of Damad Ferid Pasha by the Sultan to form a new Cabinet were caused by the refusal of Sali Pasha to renounce his Nationalist principles and declare against the forces of Mustapha Kemal, the Nationalist revolutionary leader, in insurrection against the Constantinople authorities.  
The Sultan, it is understood, is against the Nationalist forces and their demands, and the new Cabinet probably will be composed chiefly of members of the Liberal Party, which is willing to accept any peace terms in the hope of retaining the Sultan in Constantinople.  
The Nationalists are seizing the funds of the Ottoman National Bank branches throughout Anatolia.

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## PROTEST AGAINST JAILING OF STRIKERS

Winnipeg, April 6.—Eight hundred delegates of labor organizations in this city will on Sunday determine the nature of the protest to be made throughout Canada against the trial and conviction of the local strike leaders. Both international and One Big Unionists are expected to join in the movement.  
About fifty resolutions from all parts of Canada were read at the meeting of the Defence Committee last night, all offering support.

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## OCCUPIED BY JAPANESE TROOPS; VLADIVOSTOK



Vladivostok, April 5.—Japanese troops to-day occupied Vladivostok after eight hours of severe fighting in all parts of the city.  
Some of the officers of the revolutionary regime already have been arrested and executed. All Russians have been disarmed, and the Japanese imperial flag is flying in the place of the Russian ensign on all Government buildings.  
Throughout last night the Japanese fought with rifles, machine guns, grenades and small artillery in all portions of the city. Their incessant firing met little opposition, as the Russians were taken by surprise, the Japanese move toward occupation not having been expected by the party in power.  
Many Russians escaped into the hill country behind the city, whence they had come two months ago when the all-Russian Government of Admiral Koltchak fell before the attacks of the revolutionary party.  
Early to-day the Japanese launched their attack in the Korean quarter, which they occupied. Later they marched Korean and Russian prisoners, tied together with ropes, through many of the streets.  
The last of the American expeditionary forces, under Brig.-Gen. Wm. S. Graves, left Vladivostok April 1. A few hours subsequent to their departure a proclamation was posted throughout the city stating that Japanese troops would not evacuate Siberia at the present time. The proclamation warned all inhabitants against any unfriendly attitude on the part of the Russian population. The tenseness of the situation here had increased hourly since that time until the clash to-day.

## A VLADIVOSTOK LANDMARK



A monument in a Public Park, commemorative of an earlier war.

## LABOR CANDIDATE OBJECT OF ATTACK

Lloyd George and Law Take Hand in Edinburgh By-Election

London, April 6.—(Canadian Press).—Premier Lloyd George and Rt. Hon. Bonar Law have written a joint letter to Patrick Ford, Coalition candidate in North Edinburgh, where a vacancy occurred through Scottish legal changes.  
"There is a candidate," says the letter, "whose main policy is to revolutionize the existing order of society, to substitute national ownership for private enterprise, and as an inevitable corollary to convert a whole community into a forced army of Russia. There is another candidate whose stock in trade would appear to be a revival of dead party controversies of pre-war days, who has forgotten nothing and learned nothing during the last five years."  
The independent Liberal candidate, Rt. Hon. Walter Runciman, shipowner, former Minister and Asquith candidate, The Labor candidate is Major Graham Pole.  
The Coalition letter above quoted is taken generally as being of a more militant strain than in the ordinary run of such recommendations recently. It seems to indicate that Premier Lloyd George has resolved on fully sustaining his breach with the Labor Party.

## BAD COLD LEFT HIM WITH BRONCHITIS

However slight a cold you have you should never neglect it: if you do it can have but one result. It leaves the throat or lungs, or both, affected. Bronchitis is one of the most common afflictions of a neglected cold, and neglected bronchitis the most general cause of consumption.  
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Mr. R. P. Sundblad, Francis, Sask., writes:—"I had a very bad cold which left me with bronchitis. I tried several cough remedies and oils of all kinds, but they all failed. At last I got Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and after using two bottles I have never had a sign of bronchitis since. I therefore can honestly recommend it for coughs and colds. Don't accept a substitute for Dr. Wood's. The genuine is put up in a yellow wrapper; 3 pine trees the trade mark; price, 25c. and 50c. Manufactured by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont."

## JOB PRINTERS IN TORONTO SEEKING INCREASED WAGES

Toronto, April 6.—Employees of book and job printing offices in this city want a conference with the employers over the wage question but so far their request has been denied. The agreement between the employees and employers does not expire until 1921. The present pay is \$32 a week, or 66 cents an hour. The measure to come before Parliament this session, must be put through the committee stage. A number of the less contentious clauses have already been disposed of, but the real fight in committee is yet to come before the bill gets its third reading and finds its way to the Upper Chamber.  
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## MEMBERS RESUME TASK AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, April 6.—With the resumption of the Parliamentary session to-day following the Easter recess it seems likely that the week will be a busy one, as the Franchise Bill, one of the most contentious of the session, must be put through the committee stage. A number of the less contentious clauses have already been disposed of, but the real fight in committee is yet to come before the bill gets its third reading and finds its way to the Upper Chamber.  
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## PLANE ALIGHTED ON WARSHIP'S DECK

London, April 6.—The first aeroplane to rise and alight again on the deck of a warship was one of those aboard the Furious while the British fleet was off Vigo recently, says The London Times. Aeroplanes used to ascend from the Furious during the war, but were unable to make landings on the vessel again. This time it was successfully accomplished.

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## HUDSON'S BAY CO. EVENT IN MONTREAL

Montreal, April 6.—Montreal will inaugurate the celebrations which are to mark the 250th anniversary of the founding of the Hudson's Bay Company. On April 26 or 27, the Montreal branch of the company will hold a dinner and dance at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel. Sir Robert Kindersley, the Governor of the company, and Lady Kindersley will be the guests of honor at this function, which will be attended by all the employees of the Hudson's Bay Company in Montreal as well as a number of prominent guests. After leaving Montreal, Sir Robert and Lady Kindersley will go West.

## BIG PAPER MILL IN OTTAWA DISTRICT

Ottawa, April 6.—It is intimated in prominent pulp and paper and lumber circles that the Ottawa district is shortly to have another large pulp and paper mill, which is to be erected on the banks of the Gatineau River near Chelsea by the Royal Securities Corporation, Limited, Montreal, at a cost of about \$1,000,000.  
It is stated that the corporation will acquire the holdings of the Gilmour & Houghson Lumber Company in that district.

## OLD CHURCH BURNED.

Framingham, Mass., April 6.—The first parish Unitarian Church, erected in 1847, was destroyed by fire last night. Many articles of interest were lost.

## TORONTO BAKERS NOT SELLING FLOUR

Toronto, April 6.—In connection with the report that the control of wheat by the Canadian Wheat Board would cease in August and that the open market would then be restored, it was said yesterday that bakers in this city had huge stocks of flour which they were trying to sell.  
Mark Bredin, Jr., of the Canada Bread Company, denied this last night and characterized the rumor as "absolute nonsense."  
He said he did not anticipate lower prices for flour and he did not know of any baker in Toronto who had flour to sell.

## WINNIPEG CUSTOMS.

Winnipeg, April 6.—Customs collections at Winnipeg for the fiscal year ended March 31 were \$1,575,040, more than \$1,500,000 in excess of collections for the preceding year, according to information secured at the customs office. Legal customs receipts for March were \$1,302,761, exceeding those of any previous month on record at the Winnipeg office.

## PILES

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## AMALGAMATION OF SOLDIER BODIES

Union Discussed by Representatives at Dinner in National Capital

Ottawa, April 6.—A unique gathering which has every promise of becoming historic took place at the Chateau Laurier last night, when representatives of all the chartered returned soldiers' organizations in Canada sat down to dinner and took the initial step which is hoped to lead to the amalgamation of all the returned soldier bodies of the Dominion.

The members of the delegation which interviewed the Cabinet yesterday on the cash bonus to returned men met on amiable terms. Members of the Dominion command of the Great War Veterans' Association of Canada, J. Harry Flynn, president of the United Veterans' League, chief advocate of the flat \$2,000 bonus demand, responded to a toast to "The veterans' entire cordiale," which was proposed by C. Grant McNeil, Dominion secretary of the Great War Veterans' Association, and they were in absolute accord on the question of the unity of the veterans.

His Dream.  
"Unity has been my dream," said Mr. Flynn, "and ever since I have

been active in returned soldier work, I have urged a one grand organization."  
"Wipe out past understandings," urged Mr. McNeil. "Let us bury our personal differences and get together on common ground."  
The dinner was arranged by a group of Ottawa returned men active in the advocacy of united action on the part of all organizations, and Capt. W. P. Grant, past president of the Ottawa branch of the Great War Veterans' Association, was in the chair. The keynote of the whole proceedings was comradeship, and there was a manifest desire to unite all sections into one returned soldier force.

The gathering was of the highest importance inasmuch as it may lead to the amalgamation of the G. W. V. A., the United Veterans' League, the Grand Army of Canada, His Majesty's Army and Navy Veterans' League, and the Originals' Club, of Toronto, all of which were represented. For months past it has been the common belief that these various returned soldier bodies were at loggerheads, and high personages have pointed their finger at the apparent dissension in the ranks of the veterans. But last night's meeting proved that the dissension was more apparent than real, and that in the matter of general policy there was little fundamental difference between them.

### TO STAND TRIAL

Regina, April 6.—Robert Millet, arrested by the provincial police at North Battleford a week ago, has been committed to stand trial on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Alf Jorgensen, a patient in the mental hospital at North Battleford.

## BETTER METHOD IS NEEDED IN IRELAND

Correspondent of London Times Says Crime Must Be Combated

London, April 6.—A dispatch to The London Times from Dublin says that two morals are drawn from Saturday night's incidents in Ireland: first, that the republican movement has become a really serious menace to British authority in Ireland; and second, that the Government must devise a better method of combating crime. The dispatch says the brains of Dublin Castle are being outwitted by the brains of the revolutionary movement.

The dispatch says damage from the destruction of barracks was £250,000. Nearly 100 police stations and barracks in Ireland were demolished on Saturday night. They had, however, been previously abandoned by the Government because of the difficulty of the few policemen in charge holding them against attacks by hundreds of armed men.

### Secrecy Demonstrated

Thus while there was no Easter rebellion, the Sinn Féiners gave the Government nearly as much annoyance as if there had been. They demonstrated their widespread organization and the secrecy with which

they are able to execute their coups simultaneously in every part of the island.

A strong force of troops and police in an armored car visited the Nationalist quarter in Belfast Monday and arrested six men, but it is understood prominent Sinn Féiners escaped.

## BRITAIN WILLING TO SCRAP SUBMARINES

London, April 6.—The British Admiralty has never concealed its view that the work of the submarine was a horrible form of warfare, and nothing would give it greater pleasure than if the submarine could be "turned down," it was declared by Rt. Hon. Walter Long, first Lord of the Admiralty, in a recent discussion of naval matters in the House of Commons. Mr. Long added, however, that he doubted whether this was practical politics as the method of defence by submarines was very attractive to small and poor countries which could not keep up costly fleets of battleships and cruisers.

## TRAMWAY STRIKE IN BRITISH CITIES

London, April 6.—The movement among the tramway employees in many of the provincial towns to obtain an increase in wages resulted in strikes at Manchester, Oldham, Cardiff, Swansea and other cities. The strike began Saturday midnight and caused great inconvenience to the holiday-makers Sunday. Continuing through yesterday, the suspension handicapped numerous race and athletic meets.

## PRESBYTERIANS PLAN MISSIONARY SCHEME

Will Develop Work in Syria, Chile, Guatemala and Western India

New York, April 6.—New and improved mission stations and additional missionaries in most of the twenty-seven countries in which the American Presbyterian Foreign Board operates.

The enlarged programme for Syria involves the raising of \$140,000 a year for a period of three years. Here the Presbyterians plan to open a new mission station at Aleppo and also to take over management of the Mardin station in Mesopotamia.

The general plan for increase in the scope of work in all the Arabic speaking area will be followed. The addition of the Mardin station to the Presbyterian board makes the line of demarcation between the territory of the American Foreign Board one of language. The American Board's area takes in the Turkish speaking people, while the Presbyterian Board has the Arabic.

### Plans for Syria

Plans are also under way to enlarge the press at Beirut, Syria, and to make of it a great American union press, combining the press publications of all the boards now working in Syria and Palestine, running from the nineteen different societies. This improvement will celebrate the 100th anniversary of the establishment of this press by the Congregationalists, from whom the Presbyterians took it over. For this purpose a special memorial fund is being raised of approximately \$500,000. These improvements and the enlargement of the work, will require twenty-five additional missionaries.

### In Chile

In Chile a theological seminary building is planned in connection with the Methodist Episcopal Church North with each board contributing \$25,000 for this purpose. This seminary will be erected at Santiago. At Valparaiso a similar union movement is being planned with a view of building a nurses' training school, which will include a normal training school for the purpose of preparing native teachers. A somewhat larger amount will be needed for this purpose.

Under the planned arrangement, virtually the whole Chile field will be worked co-operatively by the Methodist board and the Presbyterian board. For this purpose, a committee composed of equal representation from either board has been appointed and is now completing the different plans. The two boards will operate the publication and Bible distribution work. The present two papers of the boards will be absorbed into The El Meridiano, which will be the combined publication of the two boards. Twelve new missionaries are needed to carry forward this work.

### Guatemala

In Guatemala, where the Presbyterian mission was virtually destroyed by an earthquake in 1918, the board has already rebuilt the press and missionary residences. This year's programme calls for \$100,000 to \$125,000 to complete this work of rehabilitation. This will mean the building of hospitals, a nurses' training school and a girls' school in Guatemala City. Further plans to be developed later call for the building eventually of a large well equipped boys' industrial school.

Until the earthquake in Guatemala, the Presbyterians had two stations, employing twelve or fifteen missionaries. The earthquake wiped out all this work.

### India's Needs

Western India needs a boys' high school at Kohlapur. Some progress has already been made on such a building but additional funds to the extent of 25,000 rupees or 12,000 gold, which is the value of this sum at the present rate of exchange, is required. This boys' high school was started at the request of the Maharajah of Kohlapur, who agreed to give all the land and a large part of the building material from his forest, on condition that the school should train the young princes of his realm.

### BELGIUM GETS RAILWAY

Aix-la-Chapelle, April 5.—Via London, April 6.—The international commission dealing with questions relating to the new territories of Eupen and Malmédy has decided that the Montjoie railway shall become the property of Belgium. The British and Italian delegates held that Germany could easily build another railroad.

## DARKEN GRAY HAIR, LOOK YOUNG, PRETTY

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Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made use of a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe.

Nowadays we get this famous mixture improved by the addition of other ingredients by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyleth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. You just dampen your hair with it and brush it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; but what delights the ladies with Wyleth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance.

HARRY McAVOY, well-known Los Angeles hotel man who says he spent a small fortune and tried every treatment money could buy without getting relief, until he tried Tanlac. Says he suffered for twenty years.



"In 1900 I suffered a general breakdown and during these 20 years I spent a small fortune searching for health," said Harry McAvoy, with the Alexandria Hotel of Los Angeles, one of the largest and finest hotels in Southern California.

"I went to the best specialists in New York, Chicago, New Orleans and Seattle. I tried every medicine and treatment money could buy, but the best I could do was to get a little temporary relief. Finally I gave out completely under the strain and had to quit work altogether. I was terribly discouraged over my condition and felt that I would be an invalid for the rest of my days."

"I had indigestion in its very worst form. In fact, I was a confirmed dyspeptic; nothing agreed with me and I suffered from all the terrible symptoms of indigestion. My heart palpitated so badly I thought I had heart trouble and I would get so weak and faint at times I would stagger and several times I fell flat in my tracks before I could support myself. "I was absolutely afraid to eat, for it meant nothing but suffering, afterward and I would have awful pains and burnings in the stomach and chest. Sleep! Why, I didn't know what it was to get a night's sleep. I would lie in bed a while and then get so restless I would have to get up and walk the floor. I was almost a nervous wreck and couldn't even sit still and write a letter. I lost so much weight and strength I was almost too weak to walk, and I honestly believe no man in this world suffered any more than I did."

"Last September I realized I could hold out no longer, and as I had read a great deal about Tanlac, I made up my mind to give it a trial. Well, sir, it was the greatest and happiest surprise of my life, for I began to feel better right away. My appetite improved, I began to sleep better and my strength gradually returned. So I kept right on taking the medicine and in only a few weeks' time my troubles had all left me and I found I had gained 15 pounds in weight."

From that day to this I have positively been in the best health I ever enjoyed in all my life. I never have an ache or pain. I eat anything I want and don't suffer any bad after effects at all; in fact I feel just like a new man and have plenty of strength and energy. My nerves are steady and strong. I never have a dizzy spell and my sleep is restful and refreshing."

"Tanlac has been worth its weight in gold to me and all the money on earth could not buy the good it has done me."

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## YUKON LEAGUE WOULD AMEND PLACER LAW

Dawson, April 6.—The Yukon Development League has adopted resolutions recommending that the Federal Government amend the placer laws for Yukon Territory so that permits for extensive prospecting in low-grade placer creek and river valleys for the purpose of inducing gold dredging companies to extend operations in this region may be issued.

Permits would be for a period sufficient only for prospecting, and would apply only on the ground which was once held by an individual or other miners and is now abandoned.

Hundred of miles of this class of low-grade placers in the territory is now lying idle. Large companies are understood to be embarrassed in endeavoring to prospect these, because when starting work, individuals who can not work that class of ground by individual methods rush in and stake all around or through the tract, and hold up the companies for excessive prices, whereas the individuals now get claims from the Government free. New resolutions contemplate requiring permit holders to stake the ground as individual claims should they want it permanently, and to have the first right to do so.

Several large dredges representing millions of an investment, have about worked out their original ground, and may be shipped out of the country if low-grade placers can not be secured. The league meeting strongly opposed granting concessions, which was another source of contention in the Klondike before it was abolished years ago, but a recommendation was also adopted that individuals be allowed permits to prospect exclusively on one-mile tracts in virgin creeks for one year with the privilege of first choice of staking a discovery claim anywhere within that tract.

The meeting also recommended the Federal Government abolish the present royalty on gold, claiming gold has lost half its purchasing power, and gold mining is the only industry on which the price of the product can not be advanced, thus seriously threatening the continuance of mining in this territory.

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"Venus" Pure Silk Thread Hose, in black, white, taupe, buff, pearl, grey, navy, Russian calf, Palm Beach, purple, paddy, gold, sky, pink, silver, bronze and nigger brown, at, per pair, \$2.25

"Radiant" Pure Silk Thread Hose, in black, white, champagne, navy, grey, smoke, Russian calf and cordovan, at, per pair, \$2.00

Extra Fine Quality Silk Stockings, at, per pair, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$4.50

## SAYS EXISTENCE OF LEAGUE AT STAKE

London, April 6.—The London Times suggests that the Council of the League of Nations, which is to meet in London in a few days to consider the offer of the mandate for Armenia which has been made to it by the Supreme Council, should not merely accept or reject offhand the proposals of the Supreme Council, but before declaring itself, insist upon receiving a binding declaration of the intentions of the Allied Governments and a precise definition of the practical means which those Governments and the neutral members of the League are ready to place at its disposal.

"For what is at stake," says the paper, "is not only Armenia, but possibly the very existence of the League of Nations itself."

## CENTRALIA MURDERERS GET HEAVY SENTENCES

Montesano, Wash., April 6.—The seven men convicted here March 13 of second degree murder for the slaying of Warren O. Grimm, Centralia Armistice Day parade victim, were sentenced to not less than twenty-five years each in state's prison nor more than forty years by Judge John M. Wilson yesterday after he had denied a defence motion for a new trial. Defence Attorney Vanderveer took exception to the sentences and gave notice of appeal.

## CANADA'S STATUS SUBJECT OF DEBATE

Ottawa, April 6.—(Canadian Press)—Canada's status as a nation is to be debated again in the House of Commons. A new point has arisen in the minds of some members. It is as to the effect that the refusal of the United States to become a member of the League of Nations will have upon the Monroe Doctrine. Just what effect this will have is to be the subject of lengthy questions coming from Major W. G. Andrews, member for Centre Winnipeg. It is expected that Hon. N. W. Rowell, President of the Privy Council and one of the best posted men on the League of Nations, will make a statement on the floor of the House.

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## ENFORCE THE TREATY!

The military clauses of the Treaty of Versailles prohibit Germany maintaining any fortification or armed forces within the territory extending fifty kilometres, or about thirty miles, east of the Rhine. Two weeks ago the German Government sought permission from the Allies to send troops into the Ruhr Valley east of Dusseldorf, to suppress the revolt of workmen which, like the uprising in the remainder of the Rhineland, was precipitated by the short-lived coup of the military party dominated by von Ludendorff and of which Kapp and von Luettwitz were the agents. Permission was withheld because, in the opinion of the French authorities, the differences in the Ruhr Valley could be composed without intervention by German troops. Notwithstanding this refusal, however, German soldiers began their advance and France turned the situation over to Marshal Foch. The outcome is the occupation of Frankfurt, Darmstadt and other Rhenish cities by French troops.

The persistence of the German Government in ordering the advance of German troops into the Ruhr Valley without the permission of the Supreme Council is regarded by France as a test of the determination of the Allies to maintain the provisions of the treaty by the necessary pressure, especially those provisions which concern the establishment of fortifications and armed forces in the Rhine Valley. France is very distrustful of Germany under any Government and has very good reason to be. Further, she knows German nature and psychology much better than any of her Allies and associates. M. Millerand, the French Premier, intimates that this manoeuvre was one of the conditions on which the Kapp military crowd gave way to President Ebert and his Government recently, and declares it is being directed by military adherents of the Kapp element who remained in Berlin for the purpose. If Millerand is correct there can be no doubt that if the German Government discovered from such a test that the Allies would not resort to disciplinary measures if Germany violated this particular section of the treaty, the instrument would be systematically violated from beginning to end.

France, therefore, is taking a very necessary step in sending her troops forward and similar action should be taken by Great Britain which ought to be as vigilantly concerned for the integrity of the Treaty of Versailles in this particular as any of her Allies. This is the time to teach Germany that she must not try to take liberties with the treaty, and if that lesson be not taught at the present juncture it never will be. But France should not have to act alone in teaching it. Germany is still overdue in the fulfillment of some thirty provisions of the Treaty of Versailles.

## A JAPANESE COUP.

The occupation of Vladivostok by Japan was preceded by the announcement of the Japanese Government that Japanese troops could not be withdrawn from Siberia until the safety of Japanese subjects in that country had been assured. This excuse for the seizure of Vladivostok is certainly nothing if not elastic, for in a country as unsettled and spacious as Siberia it must be a long time before the safety of the citizens of any power, including the safety of Siberians themselves, can be assured.

The occupation of Vladivostok is likely to have another motive, besides the protection of Japanese residents in that part of the world, and that is to prevent the poison of Russian Bolshevism percolating into Japan. By holding the outlets of Siberia the Japanese authorities may consider that they prevent the pest from escaping from its own habitat. Whether this view is correct or not only time can tell, but we will wager that if Japan is ripe for the seeds Bolshevism the operations of Japanese soldiers in Siberia will be futile to stop their growth.

This denotes a fundamental fact everywhere on earth. Bolshevism can flourish only where freedom is stifled, where there is oppression and caste rule over an ignorant and illiterate populace. The theory that the outside world can be guaranteed against it by sending armies to fight the Bolsheviks in Russia—whose leaders, by the way, are Czars, not Bolsheviks—has been generally abandoned, the British Government being one of the first to discard it on the recommendation of General Gough and the other members of the British Military Mission which was sent to Russia.

It may be assumed that Japan has no inten-

tion of permanently remaining in Vladivostok, since that would be a difficult and dangerous proceeding, because ultimately it would involve her in hostilities with Russia who never would withhold her hand until she had regained the port.

## POUND COMING BACK.

The pound is coming back, not in spasmodic, irregular jumps, but with a steady stride which befits its dignity and properly typifies the sturdy old gentleman whose pocketbook is its happy home. Yesterday it rose to \$4.02½, and there is nothing to show that its recovery is not likely to continue. A few weeks ago it was down to \$3.18 and at one time it looked as if it was bound for the three-dollar level.

What is happening to the pound reflects the conditions of British finance. Great Britain is tackling the problems which confront her in a manner that is winning the admiration of the financial authorities of the world. Influential financial journals in New York are devoting considerable space to her accomplishments in this direction. She is deflating her currency in large instalments, she has radically reduced her adverse trade balance, she is diverting big sums to the reduction of her foreign and domestic indebtedness and is conducting a highly energetic and effective campaign for supremacy in the world's trade markets, particularly Germany's markets. These developments are sending the pound upward.

## THE TUBERCULAR SUBJECT.

By reason of her climatic advantages British Columbia holds out hope for the consumptive if treatment can be commenced during the early stages of the malady. But British Columbia's difficulty is not one of climate, it is one of accommodation—an essential auxiliary if her natural asset is to pay full dividends to suffering humanity.

We have always maintained that the care of those of Canada's population who are suffering from this dreaded disease should be regarded as a state obligation; but we have not yet reached the stage where we show as much solicitude for the health of human beings as we do for that of our livestock. It is gratifying to observe, however, that Ottawa is beginning to realize the necessity of some sort of co-operative arrangement if this Province is to continue to minister to sufferers originating from the Prairie and Eastern Provinces.

The Vancouver Board of Trade recently took occasion to point out to the Dominion authorities that British Columbia's position was becoming increasingly difficult by the addition to her own patients of suspected and incipient subjects from the Prairie Provinces. The Health Department, however, does not offer anything in the way of a solution but contents itself with the suggestion that joint action by the four western Provinces might result in reaching an agreement by which the burden of the receiving Province would not be increased to any disproportionate extent.

Undoubtedly, an arrangement of this sort would be of assistance in cases where the sufferer is in a position to come to British Columbia and obtain treatment at a recognized institution. But what of the individual whose slender funds would not permit of the expense? The dry belt of this Province is peculiarly adapted to the cure of tuberculosis; but there never should be any suggestion that its virtues are to be partaken of by the rich alone.

If the Department of Health at Ottawa recognizes the desirability of co-operation between the Provinces it plainly recognizes in principle that tuberculosis is unlike any other disease and that there are places where its treatment may be undertaken with every hope of success. Having gone that far it should take steps to nationalize in practice its acceptance of the principle, a proceeding which would be supported by the country as a whole.

The New York Sun the other day remarked that Foch was winking up the watch on the Rhine. This morning he appears to have wound it up so audibly that it was heard all over Germany.

The Bolsheviks have Vladikavkaz and the Japanese have Vladivostok. The former is in the Caucasus and means "mastery over the west." The latter means "mastery over the east."

## "DOGGEREL" IN THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

(The Westminster Gazette)  
My reference to the National Anthem as a piece of doggerel which it would be well to keep unchanged, brings me a letter from Mr. Lowther Bridger, who agrees with me as to the quality of the verse, but maintains that "what we want is some more doggerel to make it include the Empire—in short, an Empire verse. One such," he tells me, "was chosen by the Royal Colonial Institute (which itself now needs another name), but it was poetry, and not likely—in fact, too good—to catch on." Mr. Lowther Bridger, I am afraid, is a cynic.

"I have endeavored," he goes on to say, "to supply some doggerel more like the original:

O Lord, our Empire bless,  
Guard it through storm and stress,  
Peace to it bring.  
Grant us true unity,  
All one on land and sea,  
One mind, one prayer to Thee,  
God save the King.

"I hope," he concludes, "that somebody will eventually hit off the right thing, for we must make the National Prayer include the National Empire."

## DURHAM CATHEDRAL STILL STANDS.

(From Public Opinion.)  
Dr. Jowett, Congregational minister, preached last Sunday to seven thousand people in the Anglican Durham Cathedral. On Monday the building was found intact, the walls standing and the foundation firm. As with the Jackdaw of Rheims—"no one seemed the worse." The Dean of Durham (Bishop Welldon) said that all present must have felt the great impressiveness of the service. It was an almost overpowering manifestation of desire for some visible intercommunion between the Church and Nonconformity. He could not help hoping that when the bishops defined intercommunion they would be encouraged to set a true value upon a rather noisy and narrow party who had aimed at keeping the Church in isolation from other Christian Churches in the land.

## FRANKFORT, DARMSTADT AND OTHER TOWNS IN GERMANY ARE SEIZED

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when a battalion of chasseurs d' trained at the station.

**No Fighting.**  
Mayence, April 6. (Associated Press).—French troops entered Frankfurt at 5 o'clock this morning, finding only a small German force left there to afford police protection for the people. The occupation of the city was a mere military march and was not attended by any fighting.

Darmstadt was entered shortly afterwards by French forces. The German Government garrison of that city had left at midnight to avoid contact with the French and this morning was six miles east of the city.

**Orders From Foch.**  
Paris, April 6.—French soldiers today occupied the German cities of Frankfurt-on-Main and Darmstadt, sixteen miles south. Forces commanded by General de Goutte, which have been holding the Mayence bridgehead, were ordered forward by Marshal Foch following the efforts on the part of the French Government yesterday to induce the Berlin Government to withdraw its forces from the neutral zone along the eastern bank of the Rhine, where they had been ordered to disperse Communist units that for the past fortnight have conducted a revolt in the Ruhr Valley.

## SIX STRIKE LEADERS ARE SENTENCED AT WINNIPEG

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hailiffs and removed to the provincial jail. The families of George Armstrong and R. E. Bray followed them from the court and were allowed a few minutes in private.

**A Sensation.**  
A sensation was caused in the court when Mr. Justice Metcalfe interrupted R. E. Bray in his statement and told him that he had just committed a more serious offence than that for which he was about to be sentenced. He had in his reference to the court as being biased laid himself open to summary sentence for an indefinite period.

The Crown counsel at the conclusion of the session asked the court to take action against the accused Bray to uphold the dignity of the court.

## Wrongful Attacks.

Mr. Justice Metcalfe stated that the status of the judiciary of Canada was being lowered by members of the Legislatures under the cloak of privilege. He was tired, he said, of trying to uphold the dignity of the court when this was going on. The time was coming rapidly, he declared, when men chosen for the honorable position of judge would prefer their own private practice. It should not be left to the judges to uphold the dignity of the Canadian law. Men should not be allowed to make speeches such as were being made daily in reference to the trial of the strike leaders in which they referred to him as being a representative of the "capitalistic class."

## Charges.

Bray when making his statement, repeatedly cavilled at the court's displeasure by stating that he had not had a fair trial; that the trial and the verdict were a travesty of British justice, and referred to Mr. Justice Metcalfe as biased.

Bray continued by stating that the class struggle had been plainly shown at the trial when well-dressed women had been given reserved seats in the court to glow over the sufferings of himself and his comrades.

**Is Pleased.**  
R. J. Johns was the second man to be sentenced and in a statement made to the court declared that anything he had done had been done by the order of the men he represented. "I am pleased that I carried on the work," he declared, "I feel that it is my life work."

**Two Classes.**  
The crown, he said, contended that there were no classes in Canada. There were two classes, a working class and a capitalistic class, and they opposed each other. Socialism was a necessary and inevitable time to support human life. The strike was premeditated and brought on by the Citizens' Committee, who were afraid of the organization of the One Big Union.

"They beat us, and I admire them for it," he said. "The psychology is there, however, and will remain there."

**True to Himself.**  
Pritchard stated that he felt the same way as Johns and went on to say that he was ready to go to jail to serve the sentence of the court, but "I go to jail resting, for if a man is true to himself he can not then be false to any other man," he declared.

**General Criticism.**  
Alderman Queen referred to the opposition he and his comrades had put up when Mr. Justice Metcalfe was appointed to take charge of the trial. He claimed that Mr. Justice Metcalfe could not help but be prejudiced. He also claimed that the

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farmers who had suffered losses through the strike were not proper men to serve on the jury. "We know that the farmers would be willing to hand anyone who had been on strike," he declared. "He claimed that he was on the City Council, and did not prove suitable to the Citizens' Committee."

**Armstrong.**  
George Armstrong, who appeared to be very nervous, was interrupted by Mr. Justice Metcalfe when he went into a lengthy outline of the doctrine he had advocated, and asked if he had anything to say as to why the court should not sentence him.

**Reserved Case.**  
Application for a reserved case on behalf of the six convicted leaders will be made some time this week, W. H. Tupper, K.C., counsel for the defence, stated to-day. The defence counsel stated that they were at present preparing material for the application.

## PICKETS SAY THEY WILL USE PLANE

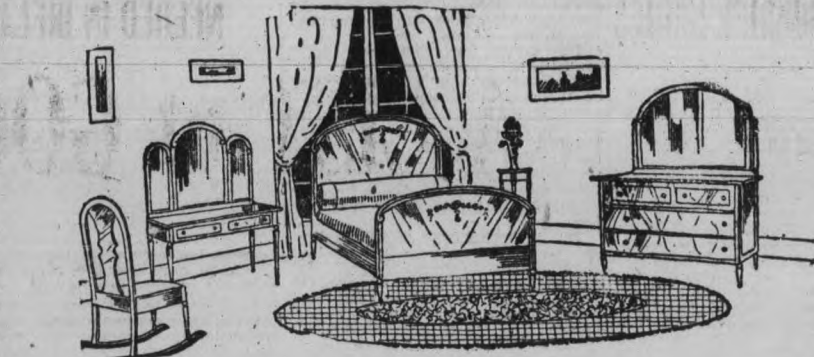
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**In Relays.**  
As soon as the word of the arrest reached the headquarters of the women at a hotel, two more pickets with banners were sent to the Embassy and it was announced that the pickets would be sent out in relays.

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as rapidly as those "on duty" were arrested.

**By Aeroplane.**  
Later it was announced that since the police were interfering with the picketing on the street, it was planned to send women up in an aeroplane to drop literature on the Embassy. The first flight, it was said, would take place at 4.30 p. m. to-day.

## FRENCH DECLARE STATE OF SIEGE

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**No Strikes.**  
German authorities and public services will continue to function under French military officials and strikes will not be tolerated.

People are temporarily forbidden to circulate in the various communities from nine o'clock at night until 5 a. m.

More than five persons must not collect in streets or in private or public meetings without authorization.

**Newspapers** are temporarily suspended and permission must be given to use the telephone and telegraph. Postal censorship is temporarily established; wireless installations must be dismantled and the use of carrier pigeons is forbidden.

**Only Police Armed.**  
All arms and grenades must be deposited in city halls within six hours after the posting of the proclamation, but the regular police will be allowed to retain sabres and revolvers. Safety guards must disarm.

Any infraction of these rules will result in court-martial proceedings. "The General commanding the army of the Rhine," the proclamation concludes, "counts on the public powers and the population to understand the necessity for the above measures, and hopes repression will not be necessary."

## A POOL PLAYING RULE IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, April 6.—Despite a final appeal to the Board of Police Commissioners by Tom Jones, bartender, acting for his client-father, Con Jones, pool-room magnate, and backed by several other local pool-room proprietors, the Police Commission yesterday decided that the city's by-law prohibiting the playing of pool would be strictly enforced. It was intimated to Tom Jones that his only hope of having pool-played while he appeals the recent decision of the British Columbia Court of Appeal to the Privy Council was to secure an injunction against the city. Mr. Jones intimated that he would seek an injunction.

## BANDIT KILLED.

St. Louis, April 6.—At bay in the orchestra pit of an unoccupied theatre surrounded by fifty policemen, a bandit killed one officer, seriously wounded three others and himself was killed after he had held up and robbed the Easton-Taylor Trust Company of \$20,000 here late yesterday. The bandit was identified as Frederick C. Smith, of Dayton, Ohio.

## PARIS BOURSE.

Paris, April 6.—Prices were steady on the Bourse to-day. Three per cent. rentes 97 francs, 35 centimes. Exchange on London 59 francs, 72 centimes. The dollar was quoted at 14 francs, 75 centimes.

## YARD MEN SENT TO CITY OF CHICAGO

Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen Help to Defeat Unauthorized Strike

Chicago, April 6.—Railroad managers estimated to-day that traffic in Chicago terminals, crippled by an unauthorized strike of switchmen on eighteen roads here and Sunday's blizzard, would be nearly normal on Saturday, following the arrival of yard men sent by the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen to take the places of the strikers.

A shutdown at the stockyards because of light cattle receipts threatened to throw 50,000 men temporarily out of work. Morris & Company stated that seventy-five per cent. of all their employees would be laid off "if present conditions continued for a few more days."

John Graman, leader of the strikers, stated that 18,500 switchmen had quit in the Chicago district. He said the strikers were financially able to stay out a month.

A railroad manager asserted not more than 2,500 men were out.

## REORGANIZATION OF PAPER MILLS CONCERNS

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## A HINT.

Duty isn't dismal, disagreeable to be done. If you do your stunt, with laughter it's a close approach to fun. As long as you must tackle it, why whimper all the while? Turn in and tucker to it, and while you tucker, smile!

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## TIME TOO SHORT TO KEEP PILOTS FIT

Flyers Fear Many Crashes  
Would Result From New  
System of Training

Local flying officers and mechanics are anxious to receive more information about the proposed Canadian Air Force, which is to be built up on a volunteer basis. The Aerial League of Canada has nothing more to base an opinion on than the press dispatches, but expects full details from Ottawa within a few days.

Only reserved criticism is being made of the new force. The former members of the Royal Air Force are expressing some concern over the hours of training. According to the advance information the men are to receive a month's flying every two years. The pilots are a little dubious of the success of such a system. They fear a wholesale destruction of aeroplanes on the initial flying days. One month every two years is not sufficient to enable a pilot to keep his hand in trim, and on his first flight after such a lapse of time, it is thought that some of the landings or stunts might be attended by serious results, not only bad crashes and damage to the machine, but also severe if not fatal injuries to the flyer.

The local league is very anxious as to the site of the training base in British Columbia. The directors claim that it should be on the south end of Vancouver Island. Already the league has demonstrated that flying can be indulged in the whole year round, and has accomplished more than any other western league in the matter of aerial research.

## TWO FINES ON SAME BOTTLE OF LIQUOR

W. Blackwood With Whom  
Bottle Was Left Fined \$50;  
Girls Leave Town

"I can see no difference between this young man and Brooks. There seems to have been a joint ownership of the bottle, so I will impose a fine of \$50 or in default one month."

This sentence was delivered in the police court this morning by Magistrate Jay. The accused entered a plea of not guilty and said that the liquor belonged to John Brooks, who was fined \$50 on Saturday for having the same bottle in his possession. It developed, however, that Brooks had left the liquor with Blackwood for several hours on Friday evening and that this had constituted possession on the part of the accused.

**Watching Young Girls.**

In giving evidence for the prosecution Detective Macdonald said that he, in company with Detective Heather, had visited the King Edward Hotel on Friday night to see that a party of young girls from Vancouver, were keeping good hours. These girls, he stated, had come over to work at James Island and after a month there had come to the city. Their mode of living had come under suspicion. On calling on two of the girls the officers found that they had retired early, but on attempting to locate the other pair at 2 o'clock in the morning they found them absent from their rooms. They were directed to the rooms of Brooks and Blackwood, where the girls, who were nineteen years of age, were found. In the room a bottle of liquor was on the table and the accused was under the influence of liquor.

The two men and two girls appeared in court on Saturday morning. Brooks was fined \$50 and the two girls, who were penniless, were remanded with Blackwood until this morning. In the meantime friends arranged for the return of the girls to Vancouver.

S. W. Hurst, proprietor of the King Edward Hotel, stated that he had drawn the attention of the police to the men and women early in the day that they were subsequently arrested.

Sam Phillips, alias "Boxcar Tony," was in court on a charge of vagrancy. He implored the magistrate to give him a chance to leave town. "I shall only be too glad to give you the opportunity to leave town," replied the magistrate. "If you are not away by to-morrow you will be arrested."

"A right, you honor, I'm going" today, you bet," said Tony as he was ushered out of court.

For exceeding the speed limit in rounding the corner of Yates and Government Streets a driver of the Reliable Messager Service motor was arraigned in court. Chief of Police John Langley laid the information and said that the motor car nearly ran over him as he stepped from the curb. The chief estimated the speed of the car between 16 and 18 miles an hour.

"I don't think the chief was looking where he was going when he stepped off the curb," the driver informed the court.

## TRAINING FOR YOUTHS OF THIS COUNTRY

Ottawa, April 6.—(Canadian Press)—Advocates of compulsory physical training for the young men of Canada are not a bit daunted by the shelving of the resolution discussed for an afternoon by the House of Commons last week. One member who spoke in support of the scheme to compel young men between the ages of eighteen and twenty-five years to undergo training, the object of which would be the defence of the country in case of need, stated yesterday that the resolution standing in the name of H. M. Mowat, Parkdale, would probably be brought up again this session. This member declared the idea was misunderstood by those in opposition to it, and that business men, farmers and professional men all over the country had expressed themselves in favor of compulsory training as the only effective and fair method of establishing a defensive system for the country.

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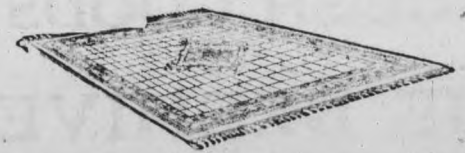
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## GOOD HEALTH MEANS BETTER CITIZENSHIP

Dr. MacEachern, of Vancouver, Speaks to Kiwanians on Need of New Hospital

"The main thing which we are striving for to-day is better citizenship, but we cannot have better citizenship unless we have good health, and in order to ensure good health we must have the proper facilities to look after the people," stated Dr. MacEachern, of Vancouver, in a short address before the Kiwanian Club at the noon luncheon to-day. Dr. MacEachern, who devotes his entire time to hospital work in Vancouver as Medical Superintendent of the General Hospital, is attending the Rotarian Convention, and was the guest of Robert S. Day at the Kiwanian luncheon. When called upon for a few words he lost no time in driving home the immense value the city would derive from the new hospital. He congratulated the club on its resource

and desire to do good in the community by taking hold and fostering the new scheme.

"Victoria has the climate, the scenery and buildings, and I don't think you advertise it nearly enough," went on the doctor, "but you must have everything in keeping with your city. I think that a million-dollar hospital will be a great asset and in keeping with the needs of your lovely city. And the weight of you men, who are representative of the business and profession life of your city, will have a great effect in putting this scheme over."

### Hospital Standardization.

Dr. MacEachern explained that the Kiwanian Club was not working in a local scheme, but was linking itself up with an international move for hospital standardization. He explained how the College of Surgeons were attempting to classify hospitals so that the public might learn the service which was given by each institution. The medical profession to-day was endeavoring to provide in hospitals every facility for diagnosis and for competent treatment and cure of patients to get them back to their health.

Dr. MacEachern pointed out the need of money in the hospitals, and that people must realize it. He referred to the Government's intention to change the rule of the road and entail an expenditure of half a million dollars. The doctor thought that the hospitals were worthy of equal consideration with such a move.

### The Model Hospital.

"I hope that you will place here the ideal model hospital for Canada," concluded the speaker. Kiwanian H. M. Diggon reported on the Kiwanian Convention held at Seattle recently. He threw out several interesting suggestions for the improvement of interest in the local club.

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## Government Can Afford Cities No Further Aid Premier Tells Delegates

Mr. Oliver Declares Government Already Rendering Extensive Assistance and Cannot Cut Expenditures; Representative Deputation Says Government Policy Will Not Meet Municipal Situation.

No relief, further than that outlined in the Budget speech of the Finance Minister, can be afforded the municipalities of British Columbia by the Provincial Government, Premier Oliver frankly told a delegation representing the Municipal Councils of Victoria, Vancouver, Nanaimo, Prince Rupert and Esquimalt which waited upon the Executive Council this morning.

The Victoria delegates, on account of the failure of Saturday's Council meeting, went before the Government without definite instructions, and, as a result, they had no concrete proposals in addition to those advanced many times before.

Outside of suggesting that an occupancy tax be collected in the Province, the delegates confined themselves to protesting vigorously against the Government's financial policy in regard to municipalities—a policy which, they declared, would fail utterly to meet the serious financial position into which the cities had fallen.

Mr. Oliver replied that his Government would like to aid the municipalities further, but he could not see how this was possible. The only way in which relief could be afforded would be by the reduction of the Government's expenditures. The Government could not reduce its annual estimates as at present drafted, however, and still care for the development of the country as a whole. As a matter of fact, he said, the Government was rendering very extensive assistance, particularly in Victoria, and he claimed that it was not fair for the cities to get themselves into a financial hole and then demand that the Government haul them out or take the responsibility for their failure.

### The Delegation.

The delegation included Mayor Porter and Aldermen Sargent, Sargent, Patrick, Johns, Dewar, Dinsdale, Cameron and Johns representing Victoria; Aldermen McKee and Owen, Vancouver; Mayor McKenzie, Nanaimo; Mayor McClymont, Prince Rupert; and Councillor Anderson, Esquimalt. The delegation was accompanied by George Bell and Frank Giolma, members for Victoria.

### Not Satisfied.

Introducing the delegation, Mayor Porter observed, "We are not at all satisfied with the plan of relief which the Government has decided to adopt. It is inadequate and will not meet the requirements. The Government has not seen fit to meet the requests which we previously laid before it, but we must have more revenue. I am sure that, after hearing the case, the Government will change its attitude, and be more generous."

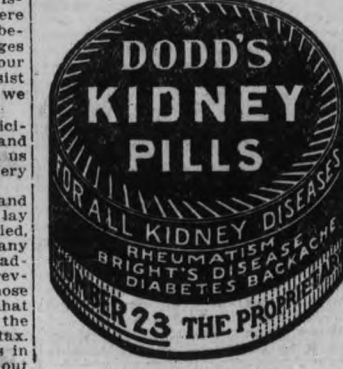
Before listening to the remarks of the delegates, Premier Oliver said he wanted to hear something new, as he and his colleagues were fully in possession of the facts previously presented.

Alderman W. J. Sargent, Chairman of the Civic Finance Committee, who was the chief spokesman for the Victoria delegation, declared that, after examining the plan of relief which the Government intended to inaugurate, he could not believe that the condition of the municipalities had been fully understood and appreciated. He went on to quote from a report of the Finance Committee which stated that, at the beginning of 1919 there was owing to the city arrears of taxes on lands including those sold for taxes during the year a total of \$2,510,387.10. To remedy this situation, the Committee had recommended, the alderman recalled, that "The Provincial Government's system of income tax should be extended to apply more generally, a better plan of collection employed and the municipality to receive a fair share of the receipts." The Committee has asked further, "That the city should have the revenue from motor licenses from all cars within the city limits as well as the amusement tax collected from theatres operated within the city," also "that the Fire Insurance Tax should be paid to the city as previously," that "The grants from the Province for educational purposes should be the same percentage of teachers' salaries as when these grants were inaugurated, namely 55.55 per cent."

### Crux of Situation.

"The crux of the whole situation in Victoria," Alderman Sargent stated, "is the menace of a land slide in the shape of lands reverting from their owners to the city and ceasing to become taxable and leaving the already too-great burden on the balance of the land. And God knows and you know, Mr. Premier, that as far as it is humanly possible the City Council has gone the limit to make it easy for property owners to pay up their tax arrears. It would be a disastrous thing for this Province if the city has to throw up its hands and refer the whole matter to yourselves. But that's what's going to happen, if matters continue financially as far as we can until it is big white. After laying out case before Mr. Hart, and after spending months confidently expecting that it was understood and that adequate relief would be applied the announcements of the Budget speech are most discouraging to the city. We are here before the Legislature adjourns, before it is too late to make changes in the financial policy, to lay our case before you so that if you persist in ignoring the situation that we have done the utmost we could."

"It's all very nice for the Municipal Council to get itself into a hole and then say to the Government, 'Get us out or take the responsibility.' Very nice indeed," said the Premier. "This city has managed its land to the extent of \$3,000,000 to lay streets," Alderman Sargent replied, "and Mr. Premier, according to any argument that can be humanly advanced, the city should get any revenue that is derived from those streets—and yet it is announced that we are not entitled to any of the money in the form of the motor tax. The Government is building roads in different parts of the Province out



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shipbuilding is proceeding now on the Reserve. The Government, besides, has affording sites for railway terminals and other public sites. In Vancouver, Mr. Oliver pointed out, the Government proposed to spend large sums on the erection of University Buildings.

### Must Find Money.

"The people cannot have these services unless they are willing to pay for them," he went on. "Take the estimates this year of revenue and expenditure and show me any item where you can claim that any reduction to the benefit of the cities can be made, he challenged the delegation. "The situation, I know is a difficult one and neither the Province nor the municipalities can go on with a wild debauchery of spending without paying for it. We have danced about this whirling so much about paying the piper. It's all nonsense to say that the people cannot pay their way. When I consider the natural resources of this Province I have no patience with people who say that the Province cannot pay its way, and is financially 'broke.'"

Mr. Oliver suggested to the delegation, that it would have shown the Government definitely from what sources the additional revenue needed could be collected.

Answering the charge that the Government was collecting money within the municipalities to build a net work of roads all over the Province, the Premier asserted that the development of the outside districts was vitally essential to the development of the cities. "Too large a part of the population is in the municipalities," he pursued. "The Government must try to restore the balance, for that reason it is absolutely necessary to develop the agricultural, mineral and timber resources outside the cities. You are not being fair to the Government in the Province. Take our side of the story and go through our programme of expenditures and show where we can make any cut, having in view the development of the country."

### Doubts of Value.

To Mr. Oliver's remark that the delegation was not suggesting where the necessary addition in revenue could be collected Alderman Sargent replied that a broader system of taxation had been proposed to the Government. There was no use taxing improvements, he declared, as the land under buildings at present was bearing a heavy enough tax on itself, and the improvements as well. There was no use, either, in imposing a \$5 tax on people who could not pay the present levy, and the increase in the amusement tax, he thought, would afford no relief.

"It's very nice for the municipalities to come to the Government and say: 'It's your duty to impose obnoxious taxes' which you don't want to do yourself," remarked the Premier.

"We are not here in a spirit of unfairness," protested Mayor Porter. "Some of us still think you are a pretty good Government."

Asking his final reply to the delegation, Mr. Oliver said: "The Government would very much like to meet your case, but frankly I don't know how it can do it. I hoped you would be able to show us how to do it."

"That's pretty hard," observed Mayor Porter. "I fear you are from Missouri."

In conclusion Alderman Sargent expressed the hope that the Government would reconsider the question of municipal finances.

"Do you infer that we have not given it attention during the last year?" demanded Mr. Hart. "We are in the middle of a session when every minute is valuable," the Premier reminded the delegation. "How in two days can we reach a solution which you say we have not reached in eighteen months?"

## OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred at his residence at Colwood on April 4 of Maurice Alfred Porter, aged sixty-five years. The late Mr. Porter had been a resident of the Colwood district for the past thirteen years, where he was held in the highest esteem by a wide circle of friends. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Porter, of Colwood, Minnesota, who arrived in Victoria yesterday, and one daughter, Marion Porter, of Colwood. The funeral will be held from the Thompson Funeral Home, Wednesday, April 7, at 2:30. Interment will be in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Emily Nash, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on April 2, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Many friends attended the services, which were conducted by Commandant Jaynes, of the Salvation Army. Mrs. Norton sang a solo entitled "Pearly Gates Unfold," and the hymns "Abide With Me" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" were sung. The pallbearers were: C. Waray, J. Corlett, Sgt. Major J. Turton and F. Willard. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

**Municipal Aerodrome.**—At the regular meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade this morning a letter was received from the Aerial League of Canada asking for support in a movement to secure a municipal aerodrome in this city. The matter was referred to a special committee on aviation.

## ROTARY RECALLS VITAL PRINCIPLES

Bishop Keator at Great Luncheon Points to Rotary Leaders as New Prophets

Bishop Keator, of Tacoma, was the feature of to-day's big Rotary Conference luncheon at the new Drill Hall after Jack Scott, who presided, with a klaxon horn connected with a sound amplifier had quieted down the stunts and songs that were dining the great hall.

"We are told that Rotary is life, that Rotary is spirit," said the Bishop.

"But that is only to describe it, not to define it. Rotary must be lived and the more you live it the better you know it and the bigger it is."

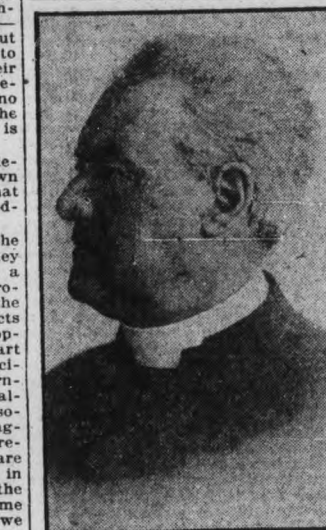
"It came from the great Creator when He bestowed upon man a share in His life. And His life is everywhere a life of service, not self."

### Meant to Socialize.

"All men everywhere are meant to live together, to work together, to play together in the fulfilment of that great purpose. Paul Harris in 1905 was one of that great line of prophets bringing back into the lives of men the ideal of service, not self."

### Away From God's Plan.

"What's wrong with the world after all? The tragedy of human life



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is that men are strangers drifting away from the plan of the great Creator and bringing in the plan of self.

### Selfishness Inhuman.

"This war only revealed the crisis in human living. We have got to bring back the idea of the great human family. We have got to look not on what a man has, but what a man is."

"The most inhuman thing in all the world is selfishness. Let us all get that new vision. Bolshevism, socialism, and all the other issues spreading hate, they can't last as they are against the whole purpose of life."

### Rotary's Aim in Industry.

"The problem in industry to-day is not entirely labor," said Thomas B. Cole, of Bellingham. "If we have anything in Rotary let us give it to industry."

"Our industry is all out of gear. The transmission lines are overcrowded and we are not producing efficiently or economically. It is in scientific adjustment and co-ordination that the solution lies. Rotary's mission is to human beings, not inanimate things."

"Rotary's mission is acquaintance-ship. All factors must be brought to an understanding in the great plant called industry. It is there that Rotarians can wield an influence that can be felt."

## WANT INTERNATIONAL CONTROL TO SAVE PACIFIC COAST FISH

Rotarians Want Localized Oregon-Washington-British Columbia Authority

An international fishing authority, with headquarters on the Pacific Coast, to handle the fishery resources of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, is being discussed by the Rotary Convention at the Empress Hotel this afternoon.

Along with the institution of a supreme fishery authority on this coast instead of having authority divided between Washington and Ottawa, it is proposed to launch the great "Save Our Fish" campaign of public education in both Canada and the United States.

The move for the joint control of the international fisheries of the Pacific Northwest was proposed by Frank Higgins, K.C., of Victoria. Mr. Higgins in his resolution points out the unsatisfactory manner of controlling the fishery resources with no supreme authority as between Washington and Ottawa. He also explains that control of a strictly Western and local problem such as the "Oregon-Washington-British Columbia" fisheries can never be efficiently handled by officials thousands of miles away in the East.

Mr. Higgins sets out that only by international and localized control can the fisheries of the Pacific Northwest be preserved.

Uniting Pacific Northwest. Bill Moulton, of Seattle, proposes the endorsement of the work of Herbert Outhbert and the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association in making

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Children's Lisle Union Suits; short sleeves, Bloomer knees—75¢ to \$1.25.

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## ROTARY GOLF BATTLE

One Hundred and Seventeen to Compete For Championship Cup at Colwood To-morrow

Golfing for Rotarians commences in earnest at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

From that hour onwards cars will leave the Empress Hotel for the Colwood links, where the Pacific Northwest Rotary International championship will be fought out. Seventy-five visitors and forty-two Victorians have entered for the struggle. The prize is the possession for the next year of the Rotary golf cup.



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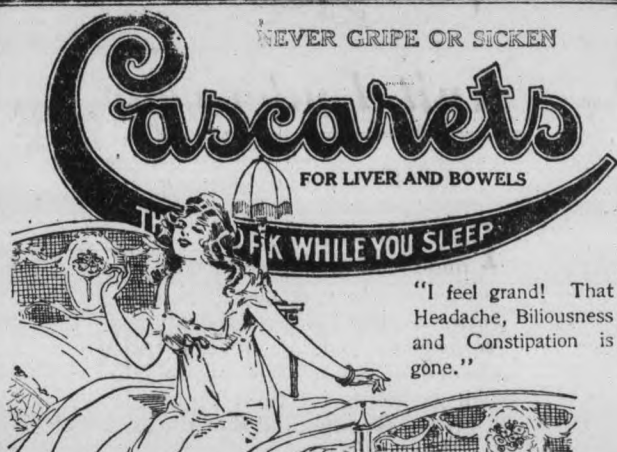
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mantic frame of mind, and asked Clara to sing something tender and touching—something that would move him.

After a moment's thought she sat down at the piano and sang an old ballad, with meaning.

It was entitled, "Darling, I Am Growing Old."

### BUDGET PRINCIPLE IS

### LIQUIDATION THROUGH

### IMMEDIATE TAXATION

(Continued from page 1.)

With the financial theme in his mind at the outset, Mr. Oliver proceeded to a review of the public accounts from the year 1902 up to the present time. He pointed out to the House that the gross revenue eighteen years ago did not exceed \$2,044,000. In 1904 and 1905 it had risen to \$2,874,000; in 1906 and 1907 to \$2,992,000, while in 1908 and 1909 the revenue of the Province had jumped to \$4,428,000. This large increase in revenue, said Mr. Oliver, was due to the fact that the Province had adopted the twenty-one year limit for licenses, which caused a great rush for their acquisition.

**The Causes**  
In 1907 and 1908, he continued, the revenue again advanced to \$5,931,000; 1908 and 1909, for nine months, the revenue was \$4,638,000; 1909 and 1910 the revenue had almost doubled itself, amounting to \$10,877,000. In 1910 and 1911 the revenue increased to \$10,430,000, the principle items being timber licenses and land sales. In 1911 and 1912 revenue advanced to \$10,877,000. In 1912 and 1913, \$12,436,000; 1913 and 1914 it had dropped, said Mr. Oliver, to \$10,338,000, the demand for speculative lands having ceased and many owners having failed to pay up their instalments. In 1914 and 1915 the revenue of the Province had again decreased, continued the Premier, to \$7,871,000, and in 1915 and 1916 the figures were \$6,193,000.

**This Government's Record**  
Passing on to the advent of the present administration, Mr. Oliver explained to the House how the revenue for 1916 and 1917 had been increased to \$8,799,000, and in 1918 it had been further augmented to \$8,735,000, and for the last fiscal year the amount had reached \$10,931,000, while the total revenue for the year ending March 31, 1920, would approximate \$12,600,000. In other words, during the past four years

the revenue of the Province had doubled itself.

**Where Old Revenue Came From**  
In an analysis of the source of revenue under the late regime, Mr. Oliver explained that to a very large extent timber licenses, royalties and land sales comprised the chief avenues of contribution to the Provincial Treasury. The revenue from timber licenses, said the Premier, had been fairly constant, while the revenue from land sales had decreased from \$2,344,000 in 1912 and 1913 to \$112,500 last year. The principle increase in revenue, however, had come from assessed taxes, principally real and personal property, wild land and income taxes. These sources in 1915 and 1916 had yielded no more than \$492,000, while in 1918 and 1919 the revenue had reached \$1,506,000, an increase of over \$1,000,000.

### SALE OF CAPITAL

### ASSETS UNNECESSARY

Were the Opposition Leader to suggest that the Government should obtain its revenue from the natural resources, and not from taxation, the Premier would reply that an examination of the public accounts would show that the land speculator had become enriched very shortly after 1912. The chief value in the comparisons he had cited, therefore, rested in the fact that they proved British Columbia capable of providing sufficient revenue to care for expenditure without resorting to the sale of the capital assets of the Province.

**That "Saturnalia"**  
Mr. Oliver was not perturbed by the Opposition Leader's appellation of the Government's fiscal policy as a "saturnalia of extravagance." Nor did he think that Mr. Bowser's pseudonym for the Minister of Finance, the "greatest tax collector the Province ever produced," could do anything more than reflect credit upon Mr. Hart, who had faithfully enforced the statute laws of the Province in respect of taxation, laws which the Legislature had placed upon the statute books. The Minister of Finance, said Mr. Oliver, had succeeded in obtaining a sufficiency of revenue without dissipation of the capital assets, an achievement in his opinion which had succeeded in drawing more generous approval from the Conservative newspapers of the Province than from the Leader of the Opposition himself.

**Land Settlement**  
On the question of land settlement, Mr. Oliver informed the Leader of the Opposition that he was quite correct when he suggested that a proper measure of co-operation between federal and provincial authorities had been lacking. "But I say as emphatically as possible," continued the Premier, "that the responsibility for this does not lie with this administration." And in support of his statement the Premier quoted from the return of correspondence presented to the Legislature during the 1919 session, which had duly set out the proceedings of the Ottawa conference of provincial premiers held in November, 1918.

The Premier here read from a letter signed by the Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Immigration and Colonization at that time. The communication in question made it clear that each Province should take authority by legislation to obtain privately-owned lands for the Soldier Settlement Board, the federal Government to place at the disposal of the Board such monies as might be necessary to reimburse the Province.

**Challenged His Critics**  
The Government Leader challenged his critics to say where his Government or the Land Settlement Board had failed to respond to any suggestion made by the Soldier Settlement Board in respect of co-operation, and he informed the House that the Government had in various ways taken the initiative in attempts to secure co-operation from the federal Board. Quoting further from Mr. Calder's letter, Mr. Oliver pointed out that the federal Minister had given expression to the view held in Ottawa that one administrative body only should be established. Duplication of machinery, Mr. Calder had said, would lead only to confusion. The Provinces, therefore, were not expected to do anything more than make provision for acquiring privately-owned lands. With that information already in possession of the House, the Premier again invited his Opposition friends to say where his Government had failed to meet the requests of the Soldier Settlement Board.

**What Government Offered**  
"We have offered Crown lands free for soldier settlement," continued Mr. Oliver. "We have offered to construct roads to such lands, to carry out improvements and to enter into an agreement with the Soldier Settlement Board along these lines." Wherefore, the Leader of the Government proceeded to express the delight it would give him if his critics would come out from under their cloud of generalities and state any specific instance in which the Government had failed to meet its obligations.

From this stage Mr. Oliver reviewed at length the evolution of the soldier settlement scheme. He took his auditors back to the memorable wireless request from the Empress of Asia, the fruitless journey to Ottawa of two of the sponsors of that community idea, and the final decision of the provincial Land Settlement Board to take up the Courtney lands. And in delving somewhat exhaustively into the progress of this enterprise, Mr. Oliver invited the House to remember that it was an experiment, and errors in judgment as a result of inexperience in this particular kind of venture would be certain to occur. Similarly, the Premier dealt with the Creston area and answered the various criticisms which had been levelled against this particular tract of land.

**The Christian Ranch**  
And before leaving specific instances which had drawn Opposition fire, the Premier referred to the now famous Christian Ranch and the allegation that a Mr. Morrison had reaped a profit of some \$9,000 in connection with the sale. I have no hesitation in saying that had the Executive been in possession of all the information in respect of this transaction the purchase of the land would not have been authorized. As a consequence, however, Director DeHart was relieved of his position as a director of the Land Settlement Board.

In defence of the Board's activities, on the other hand, Mr. Oliver

declared that the necessity for such a Board had arisen as the inevitable result of the failure of the late Government to inaugurate and maintain a proper land settlement policy, as contrasted with its sale of millions of acres of the most favorable and readily accessible lands to speculators. The principle of the design was good, he said, the material of which the machinery had been constructed, however, might have been somewhat faulty, and to that extent the success of the scheme would naturally suffer. Nevertheless, emphasized Mr. Oliver, the Board had justified its creation and maintenance.

**The Board's Thoroughness**  
Illustrative of the manner in which the Land Settlement Board carries out its cruising, Mr. Oliver read to the House one of its reports, in which he demonstrated the exhaustive character of the research work carried out before any recommendation is made to the Executive Council. He paused here to say that fifteen settlement areas had been created, and that the total area of 69,868 acres, but the operations of the Board, however, had not been confined solely to these settlement areas, a total of 188,000 acres having been cruised by the Board, and, with the exception of 15,000 acres, the cruisers' reports had been deposited with the Board and were available for public information.

**Mr. Flumerfelt**  
Passing from his reference to the Land Settlement Board and its operations, Mr. Oliver took a few minutes to deal with Mr. Bowser's remarks in connection with the resignation of Mr. Flumerfelt from the Advisory Council of the Department of Industries. "Personally," said Mr. Oliver, "I know of no reason for Mr. Flumerfelt's resignation beyond what is disclosed in the correspondence which has been placed before the House. We all know Mr. Flumerfelt to be a careful, conscientious and conservative financier, and it is presumed that his views as to the administration of the Act differed from those of other members of the Board, and he decided that he would not take the responsibility of conforming his views to those of a majority of the Board. If this was the position, Mr. Flumerfelt took the only proper course for him to take, and the fact that he resigned cannot fairly be said to infer anything beyond the fact that there was a difference of opinion between himself and other members of the board."

**Hazardous Business.**  
The Leader of the Government said he realized the necessity to justify the administration of this Department and it would be found that the Executive Council had no idea of shirking its responsibilities. In his opinion, he said, it was quite true that had it not been for the necessity of meeting a very difficult situation the Department of Industries need not have been established at the time it was. The principle, he said, had been under discussion on a number of occasions; he was well aware, however, that the Department of Industries in making loans for the purpose of establishing industries in this Province was engaged in a very hazardous business. Moreover, he had no hesitation whatever in expressing his opinion that there would be losses in connection with the Department's undertakings, while the very best it could do would be to minimize those possible losses by very careful administration.

In quoting statistics from the report of the Department already published in these columns, Mr. Oliver explained that the number of applications actually approved to date had been less than ten per cent. Nor could it be gainsaid, he remarked, that the administration of the Act could be looked upon as a popular "side line" for the Government. It was only natural, he supposed, that all those applicants who met with refusal would be somewhat irritated. And at this stage Mr. Oliver expressed his appreciation of the very careful and large amount of work performed gratuitously by the members of the Advisory Council.

**Provincial Credit**  
Mr. Oliver could not reconcile the Opposition Leader's claim that the credit of the Province was good when he left office in 1915 with the eventuating circumstances which had made it necessary for the incoming Government to borrow \$4,000,000 to meet the obligations of its predecessor. Nor did the Premier lose any part of his opportunity to drive home to his critics the financial conditions of the Province at that time, its vastly decreased revenues and the general reflection upon Provincial credit which that state of affairs involved.

In the Spring of 1916, said Mr. Oliver, the Government estimated a revenue of under \$6,000,000, with expenditures of \$11,500,000, of which \$3,000,000 had been earmarked for public works. In other words, a deficit in operating expenditure of over \$2,300,000 had been contemplated. There were only two possible courses open to the Government, he said. One was to increase the taxes in order to meet the deficit and the other alternative was to borrow the money. The honorable gentleman opposite had not the courage to do either. With a general election in sight the Leader of the Government at that time was afraid to raise the taxes or to go into the money market in the face of existing conditions; he had simply allowed things to drift along on the assumption that if he were returned to power the people of the Province would have to submit with the best grace possible to the increased taxation, or if defeated at the polls the legacy of debt would be left to the incoming administration to deal with.

**No Post-mortems.**  
"Is it any wonder, Mr. Speaker," queried the Premier, continuing, "that the honorable gentleman declares, with a very considerable amount of feeling, that he does not want any political post-mortems? What honorable friend wants is a resurrection, and certainly the Conservative party needs a resurrection, with a new body and a new spirit. In fact, I might go farther and say that the greatest need of the day is a new spirit, not one of self-seeking, but of service."

In reply to the Opposition Leader's reference to the segregation of capital and current expenditures and the general inference that the Minister of Finance took great pains to paint his picture in the most glowing colors, the Premier reminded the House that it was very essential to draw a clear line of demarcation honestly and conscientiously. When it was necessary to borrow money, he continued, an indisputable

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on or before the 30th of April, 1920.

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Department of Finance

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Forms to be used in filing returns on or before the 30th of April, 1920.

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### Sir Oliver Lodge Will Arrive Here Two Weeks' Hence

A definite date has now been set for the appearance in Victoria of Sir Oliver Lodge, the famous scientist, whose visit has been anticipated for several weeks. The Western Musical Bureau, which is responsible for the visitor's tour in British Columbia, states that he will come here on April 21 from Vancouver, where he has a date to speak on April 20.

### NEWS IN BRIEF

Injured at James Island.—Wilfred Beal, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Beal, 521 Leacock Street, is a patient at St. Joseph Hospital, having been injured in the powder plant at James Island on Saturday. Three fingers of the right hand were severed, when his hand was caught in machinery.

Bull Sold For \$5,000.—J. A. Sayward has sold his senior herd sire, Colony Pasche, Newman, No. 24824, to John A. Bell, Jr. of Bell Farm, Coropolis, Pennsylvania. This is said to be the highest price ever paid for an Island bull, and is one of the biggest sales made in the Province in recent years.

To Lecture on the Heavens.—The regular meeting of the Wesley Young People's Association will be held tonight at 8 o'clock, when Mr. Harper of the St. John Observatory, will give an illustrated lantern lecture on "The Starry Heavens." Mrs. Stokes and Miss Hilda Pottinger will sing, and Miss Ella Pottinger will recite. There will be no admission charged and everybody is welcome.

Boy Leaders' Training Class.—The Physical Development of the Boy will be the subject under discussion at the second session of the Boy Leadership Short Course to be held in the Y. M. C. A. this evening commencing at 7 o'clock. The meeting will also consider the question of "How to Conduct the mid-week session of the Class." All Sunday School teachers and leaders of boys are invited to attend the gathering.

Army and Navy Veterans.—The monthly meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association will be held at 8 o'clock Thursday night, in the clubrooms, Pemberton Building. At this meeting elections will be held to fill the two vacant places caused by resignations from the members of the Naval Branch of the Executive. There are many names to be nominated, and members who have the best interests of the club at heart are requested to make a point of being present.

Will Hold Banquet.—The St. George's Society will hold a banquet on Friday, April 23, in celebration of St. George's Day. Preparations for the function are in the hands of a committee headed by Rev. J. L. Batty. The Society's meeting last night was well attended, very Rev. Dean Qualton presiding. It was announced that the Dean would preach a special sermon at Christ Church Cathedral at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of Sunday, April 25, to the members of the Society.

Fishing Boat on Fire.—Yesterday afternoon the fire department was called to the Causeway to subdue a fire on the fishing boat Albany, tied up in the Inner Harbor. The owner, Raymond Rann, of Vancouver, was cooking a meal when some grease ignited a board drenched with gasoline. Rann was unable to put out the fire and called the fire department. Considerable damage was done to the cabin of the boat and it will take about \$200 to repair it. The boat was here awaiting fair weather before leaving on a cruise to the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Chapter's Enjoyable Dance.—"J" Unit Chapter, I.O.G.E., held one of their series of popular and enjoyable dances last night at the Alexandra Club when about one hundred couples enjoyed the delightful programme furnished by Professor Lou Turner's orchestra and danced until the early hours. The ballroom has been newly decorated and presented a charming appearance with its decoration of palms, kindly loaned for the occasion by Messrs. Brown's, the florists, while in the downstairs cafe where supper was served, daffodils and other Spring blossoms were used with charming effect on the tables. The catering was in the hands of the Alexandra House Committee. Messrs. Ruxton and Bass assisted the Chapter members by officiating at the receipt of custom.

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### PUBLIC TO WITNESS NEXT ROTARY LUNCH

The public will be permitted to be present as spectators at the Rotary Convention luncheon in the Drill Hall to-morrow. Visitors will enter by the Bay Street entrance at a quarter to one, and will be allowed to view the exhibits and the scheduled proceedings from the galleries.

### NO GOVERNMENT BILL FOR DAYLIGHT SAVING

A Private Member Must Initiate Legislation This Session

Unless a private member introduces a resolution for the purpose of bringing the question of daylight saving to the attention of the Legislature, Premier Oliver inferred this morning that the Government had no intention of submitting a bill on similar lines to that passed at the last session of the House.

Mr. Oliver takes the stand that discontinuance of the policy in the United States has placed the situation in an entirely different light, intimating that were this Province to initiate a daylight saving programme for this year a good deal of confusion could not be avoided.

On that account it is taken for granted that no Government measure will be brought down, although it is understood that a number of private members are of the opinion that the Province should take individual action on this matter.

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### GIVE FINAL TOUCH TO THE CONFERENCE

B. C. Teachers' Federation Will Bring Many Here Thursday and Friday

Every detail is making good progress for the convention of the British Columbia Teachers' Federation which will follow closely on the heels of the Rotary gathering. At least 200 outside teachers will join with an equal number of Victoria and district teachers, making a probable attendance of upwards of 400 at the convention of the British Columbia Teachers' Federation on Thursday and Friday.

Dr. Suzzallo, President of the University of Washington, will arrive on Thursday evening at the First Presbyterian Church, he will give an interesting lecture, for which free tickets may be obtained at the offices of the Federation, 402 Campbell Building, or from the Victoria Public Library.

The full programme was printed in The Times on Monday. There will be both general and sectional meetings.

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### VICTORIA LAD KILLED BY FUMES

Bertram J. Dresser Suffocated in Launch at Maple Bay

Bertram John Dresser, an eighteen-year-old employee of the Royal Bank of Canada, met death under tragic circumstances on Sunday night while holiday-making with two young companions. With a couple of chums he left Victoria on Sunday morning in a small gasoline launch, intending to make the run up to Chemainus and return to the city last night. Making Maple Bay by dark, the lads decided to lay off there for the night, and retired to sleep in the cabin.

As far as is known at present, young Dresser was overcome during the night by fumes from the gasoline engine, for in the morning his companions found, to their horror, that his body was lifeless. The remains were brought back to the city to-day, and the funeral will be held from the B. C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at two o'clock, the Rev. H. S. Osborn officiating.

Bertram John Dresser was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dresser, of 2825 Prior Street. Born in Victoria he was educated at the local Public and High schools, and lately has been employed as a ledger-keeper at the Victoria branch of the Royal Bank. The news of his death came as a great shock to many young friends, and the sympathy of the whole community will be extended to his sorrowing parents, brother and sister, in their tragic loss.

### The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Meteorological Department

Victoria, April 6—5 a.m.—The barometer is comparatively high and fair weather is general in B. C. Snow has fallen on the Northern Coast and in Cariboo, and zero temperatures prevail in the prairie provinces.

Reports.  
Victoria—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 37; wind, 12 miles W.; weather, fair.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 34; wind, 6 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 28; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, maximum yesterday, 34; minimum, 10; wind, calm; snow, 8.4 in.; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, maximum yesterday, 35; minimum, 20; wind, calm; snow, 2 in.; weather, cloudy.

Tatoush—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 33; wind, 1 mile S.; weather, clear.

Nelson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; rain, 10.

	Temperature.	Max.	Min.
Portland, Ore.	54	40	
Seattle	50	38	
San Francisco	68	48	
Penticton	51		
Grand Forks	50		
Kaslo	46		
Calgary	20	4	
Edmonton	14	2	
Qu'Appelle	20	-2	
Winnipeg	20	20	
Toronto	37		
Ottawa	34		
Montreal	43		
Halifax	42		

Presentation to Instructor.—On the occasion of the closing of the evening of the classes at the Central School last week, the students of the manual training class presented F. W. Ball, the instructor, with a very handsome desk set, in token of their appreciation of his services throughout the session. The presentation was made by Mr. Abbott on behalf of the students.

### UNITED STATES AND LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Washington, April 6.—An appeal to the American people to support the proposal for an agreement between President Wilson and a majority of the Senate to vote for immediate entry of the United States into the League of Nations on the basis of the Lodge-McCumber compromise, with remaining differences left for later settlement, was made public last night in behalf of those who signed a similar appeal presented last week at the White House.

### BOY PROBLEM OCCUPIED ROTARY SESSION TO-DAY IN ITS MANY PHASES

(Continued from page 1.)

Dr. Raynor of Victoria appealed for a standardized international Rotary programme for handling the boy problem, and eliminating overlapping.

"It is a problem to take your boy to any picture show because we have pictures of a damnable nature," said Rotarian Agnew, of Vancouver. "It's awful hard to be a boy and be good," said Col. Weyranch, of Walla Walla. "And it is up to us to help them to be good."

"There is nothing in Rotary that presents such an opportunity as the development of boys' work," said William J. Smith, head of the boys' work department of the Seattle Rotary Club. "And there is a business side to it for us Rotarians as employers of boys."

For Development.  
Mr. Smith presented these suggestions for the development of boys' work:

"1. The entire club membership should be given active work on some phase of boys' activities.  
"2. Selection of experienced boys workers to speak before the club at frequent intervals.  
"3. Frequent discussion at the weekly meetings of boys' work.  
"4. Reading out to the members once each month of the activities of other clubs as covered by the boys work department in the Rotarian.

"5. Occasional luncheon meetings at which employers should take a boy or two from his establishment so that the boy may get to know something of Rotary and incidentally give the member an opportunity to get a little closer to the boys in his workshop. The programme should be geared up to stimulate the boys interest in the meetings.

"6. Dinner meetings to which members should take their sons or some dependent boy, or better yet take both boys.

"7. The hooking up of the boys committee with other agencies in the communities through sub-committees.

"8. An earnest effort to interest the local public authorities in the boy problem and be prepared to present to that body if circumstances seem to require it, some comprehensive plan for the housing of employed dependent boys without the usual institutional restraint. The work to be supervised by a committee of representative men and women. Plans to include an employment department for boys. The governing body given police authority to investigate violations of the minimum wage, eight-hour day and other local and state regulations regarding health and sanitation conditions. Have the club architect and engineer interested, get them to prepare plans and give an estimate of the cost of erecting a suitable building out of the business district. Building to embrace complete living facilities with recreation rooms, gymnasium, study rooms and a place for religious instruction for those who want it. Your particular community may not need such an establishment, but if you think it does get an early start as obviously it will take some time to get it over. Public sentiment will have to be aroused in its behalf. It is a taxpayers problem, and it should be put up to the taxpayers as a matter of business economy. It will shortly save some of the money now going to the support of penal institutions."

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"This is my last year of school teaching," said our friend.  
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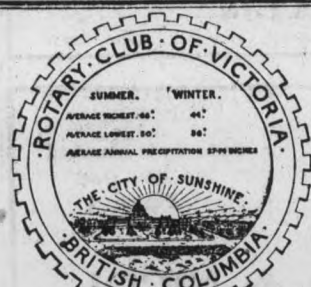
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Seattle Will Send Strong Contingent For Biggerstaffe-Wilson Trophy

Thirty golfers from Seattle will visit Victoria April 24, is the word received by Colin R. McKenzie, Secretary of the Victoria Golf Club, to take part in the first half of the seventy-two-hole game for the Biggerstaffe-Wilson trophy which has been productive of so many keen games between the Canadian golfers and the players of the Sound city. The first half of the competition is played at the Oak Bay links, and the second half at Seattle, a minimum of twenty golfers taking part.

### Seattle Has Trophy.

Seattle is at present in possession of the trophy, having turned the trick last season in the last half of the battle. At home the Victoria golfers were on the right end of a 44 to 14 score, but when the Canadians went away from home the Seattle golfers wiped off the margin and took the lead by three points. The first games this season will be played at the Oak Bay links, April 24.

At Vancouver yesterday afternoon R. Symes, of the Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club, won the 37th hole after he and H. P. Gardner, of the Vancouver Golf and Country Club, Burquitlam, had gone the 36 scheduled holes in the final round of the B. C. championship without either having an advantage, and thereby won the Bostock Cup and provincial title for this season.

While the quality of golf displayed was hardly of championship calibre, it was nevertheless a keenly contested match. When the players had finished the first 18 holes in the morning round they were even up. Toward the end of the play the effects of the battle began to show. The winner has the distinction of having walked through the event by winning every draw in which he was posted. He played 127 holes in attaining the premier honors for provincial links.

J. Ogilvie won the mixed foursomes, W. E. Hodges and Mrs. R. Symes were victorious, while Pat Fraser and Mrs. Coates were runners up.

Following are the results of the finals:

Bostock Cup—B. C. Championship: R. Symes beat H. P. Gardner at the 37th hole.  
First Flight—N. J. Smille beat J. S. Matterson, 6-5.  
Flag Competition—J. Ogilvie won.  
Mixed Foursomes—W. E. Hodges and Mrs. R. Symes won.  
Pat Fraser and Mrs. Coates runners up.

### Reached Third Round.

The only Victoria golfer to reach the third round was J. A. Rithet, who was defeated by R. Symes, 5 and 4, the other winners being Bone, Donaldson and Gardner. In the semi-final round Symes eliminated R. Bone, the holder of the title, 2 and 1, and H. P. Gardner won a close 19th hole match from J. S. Donaldson.

**Victoria Easter Competition.**  
The mixed foursome Easter competition held yesterday by the Victoria Golf Club at the Oak Bay links was won by E. D. Todd (handicap 12), and Mrs. Todd (handicap 22), with the net score of 74. Second place was taken by K. C. Allen, of Winnipeg, (handicap 7), and Mrs. Allen (handicap 9), with net score of 78. J. H. Wilson (handicap 17), and Mrs. Pitts (handicap 29), were third, with net score 78½.

## PLAY BALL! COAST LEAGUERS TO OPEN SCHEDULE TO-MORROW

Los Angeles, April 5.—The Oakland team of the Pacific Coast Baseball League arrived here today for the opening game with Los Angeles to-morrow.

Del Howard, manager of the Oaks, declared his team had superiority over the Angels and consequently would win the opening series. Manager Wade Kilmer, of the Angels, made a parallel counter claim.

Los Angeles, April 6.—Oakland will oppose the Los Angeles team at the opening of the Coast League season here to-morrow. A parade will precede the game and Mayor Snyder will pitch the first ball, which will be previously dropped from an airplane. If any member of either team succeeds in catching the ball, which will be dropped from a height of 250 feet, he will be awarded a silver loving cup. Every reserved seat in the stands has been sold yesterday.

San Francisco, April 6.—The San Francisco team of the Pacific Coast League to-day opens the 1920 baseball season with the Vernon Tigers, last year's pennant winners. William H. McCarthy, president of the league, will pitch the first ball to Chief of Police White behind the plate.

### EXHIBITION BASEBALL

At Columbia, S.C. R. H. E.  
Brooklyn Nationals ... 4 14 5  
New York Americans ... 3 9 1  
Pfeiffer, Marquard, Mohr and Elliott; Krueger, Smallwood, McGraw, Fismiller and Murphy, Hoffman.  
At Dallas—R. H. E.  
Pittsburgh Nationals ... 2 8 1  
Dallas Texas ... 1 1 1  
(Ten innings)—Ponder and Lee; Hunt, Conley and Robertson.

Idaho Falls, Idaho, April 6.—Ira Dorn, Salt Lake, middleweight wrestler, defeated Parrish, of Colorado, two falls in three here to-night.

## SPORTING NEWS

## VICTORIA PLAYER JOINS PRO RANKS

Joe Painter Will Play For Vancouver; Storme and Feeney For New Westminster

A sign of the times that professional lacrosse is due for a big revival on the Coast this coming Summer is the announcement that three of the leading amateur players of the Province have decided to cast in their lot with the senior clubs. "Pat" Painter, a member of last year's Mann Cup team of Victoria, and regarded as one of the finest home fielders the old Vancouver Athletic Club ever turned out, will play with the Vancouver club this season.



JOE PAINTER

Just to offset such an addition, the world's champion New Westminster team, holders of the Minto Cup, have secured the services of Thure Storme and George Feeney, both home players. Feeney is a brother of the famous "Pat" Feeney, known from coast to coast as one of the most wily players in the game and one of the veterans of the present Salmon Belles. Both Feeney and Storme are returned veterans, the latter being wounded at the battle of Vimy Ridge. Their inclusion in professional company will mean a big loss to amateur athletic circles, both players having mixed considerably in soccer, lacrosse and basketball, while Storme is also a basketball star. The season opens in Vancouver on May 14, the schedule calling for fourteen games.

### OLD COUNTRY SOCCER

London, April 6.—(By Canadian Press)—The following League Association games were played yesterday, additional to those already published:

**First Division.**  
Arsenal, 1; West Bromwich Albion, 0.  
Aston Villa, 4; Newcastle United, 0.  
Bradford City, 1; Manchester City, 0.  
Derby County, 2; Everton, 1.  
Liverpool, 2; Oldham Athletic, 2.  
Sheffield Wednesday, 0; Bolton Wanderers, 2.  
Sunderland, 2; Blackburn Rovers, 0.  
Middlesbrough, 5; Notts County, 2.

**Southern League.**  
Southampton, 2; Gillingham, 0.  
Swindon Town, 3; Brentford, 1.  
South United, 0; Brighton and Hove Albion, 0.  
Swansea Town, 2; Reading, 1.

### OLD COUNTRY RUGBY

London, April 6.—(By Canadian Associated Press)—Northern Union games played yesterday resulted as follows:

Union Widnes 2, Broughton Rangers 8.  
Batley 3, Leeds 5.  
Halifax 4, Wakefield Trinity 0.  
Hull Kingston R. 24, Hunslet 1.  
Wigan 15, Dewsbury 0.  
York 13, Hull 0.

**Rugby Union.**  
Cardiff 9, Harlequins 5.  
Newport 4, Army 0.  
Swansea 14, Barbarians 3.  
Neyth 4, Penarth 3.  
Plymouth 13, Leicester 8.  
Cheltenham 12, Coventry 0.

In the international amateur game played at Rouen yesterday, England defeated France by 6 to 0. The English players were: E. H. Coleman, Dulwich; L. Gollightly, Warrington; A. E. Knight, Portsmouth; Rev. R. Hunt, Oxford; G. Atkinson, Bishop Auckland; C. Harbridge, Reading; F. Nichols, Corinthians; M. Howell, Oxford; R. S. Loley, Corinthians; W. Harding, Cambridge; K. Hegan, Corinthians. Reserves: B. Gates, London Caledonians, and W. L. Sage, Tottenham.

## TENNIS STARS TO RENEW STRUGGLE FOR LAURELS

New York, April 6.—The lawn tennis struggle between William T. Tilden, U.S., the new national indoor champion, and Vincent Richards, G. Atkinson, Bishop Auckland; C. Harbridge, Reading; F. Nichols, Corinthians; M. Howell, Oxford; R. S. Loley, Corinthians; W. Harding, Cambridge; K. Hegan, Corinthians. Reserves: B. Gates, London Caledonians, and W. L. Sage, Tottenham.

## Hockey Rugby Billiards Boxing

## AROUND THE SPORT CAMPS



Jack Andros, middleweight boxing title-holder, will probably appear in the role of trainer in the near future. Jack is the father of two healthy twin boys whom his friends hope will follow their father's footsteps.

E. J. Harwood, the Harbor Marine runner who won the five-mile race Good Friday, also turned out ready for the 440 at the Willows in the afternoon. As there were only two competitors the race was not pulled off.

Although the Knights of Columbus shut closes April 15, the sporting activities do not cease. A Knights of Columbus baseball nine is being organized under the energetic management of Jack Neary.

The Cadets, the Garrison, the Congos Wednesday and a fourth team of cricketers from Christ Church Cathedral will probably form the Wednesday league cricket competition this year.

A marathon race on roller skates for youngsters is one of the suggestions the versatile superintendent of the V. I. A. A. has suggested to the club members.

The newly formed Elks swimming club may secure the services of Stan Warr for water polo this season. If so they will get one of the best players that ever handled a ball, and a thorough sportsman.

Communications for Arthur Hinman, the new secretary of the B. C. section of the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association should be addressed to 1116 Collinson Street, Phone 3250L.

Whoever Joe Neesman, the Vancouver fighter, stacks up against Wednesday night, the fans can rely upon a lively bout. The Mainland boy is a rugged hard fighter who never accepts defeat.

Al Roberts, centre half of the K. of C. soccer team, will probably be the new secretary of the Great War Veterans' Association. Al. has been selected subject to his credentials being O. K.

Parry Foley, prominent boxing promoter, former boxer and manager of Willie Ritchie, when he is lightweight champion, died yesterday at his home in San Francisco.

## SCOTT AND MORGAN SHOULD STEP LIVELY

Up-Island Fighter and U. S. Man Are Both Olympic Bidders

Although they are not picked as the main performers, Johnny Morgan, the Ladysmith 145-lb. performer, and Claud Scott, an ex-army man from across the line should provide as interesting a bout as any that will be pulled off at the fight feast at the Crystal Theatre to-morrow night.



CLAUD SCOTT

Morgan takes his hat off to no one in the 145-lb. class on Vancouver Island, and the people of his home town of Ladysmith think so much of the hard-hitting young miner that they believe that there is no amateur in Canada at 145 lbs. who can make a better showing. Their great ambition to see Morgan at the Olympic Games, and there has been talk of a subscription being taken up among his friends to defray his expenses to Antwerp.

Claud Scott, the Seattle amateur, is a brother of Pat Scott, boxing instructor of the Sacramento Athletic Club. He has not been seen in Victoria, but comes with a big reputation. While overseas with the American Expeditionary Force he made a good showing at the Inter-Allied sports at the Pershing Stadium in Gay Paree. When he was able to make the 108-lb. class he met Al Davies, of Victoria, when Al won the Pacific Northwest title. It took an extra round before a decision was arrived at.

## DELIBERATE SYSTEM BEAT FRENZIED STYLE

Toronto, April 6.—A New York Telegram dispatch to The Globe today says: "The victory of the Yale crew over Pennsylvania at Philadelphia last Saturday was another triumph for the calm, deliberate English system over the more frenzied style of the United States crews. Although it would be the work of a fool to try to name at this early stage the crew that will gain first honors during the season, the performance of the Blue carmen against the Quakers leave one impressed with the fact that Yale will be at least in the running."

### LAST NIGHT'S BOUTS

San Francisco, April 6.—Earl Young and Jimmy Dundee, both of San Francisco, fought four rounds to a draw last night. Bud Ridley, of Seattle, won a referee's decision over Joe Leopold, of San Francisco.

Denver, Colo., April 6.—Harry Greb, light heavyweight of Pittsburgh, was awarded a decision over Capt. Bob Roper, of Chicago, in their twelve-round bout here last night.

Memphis, Tenn., April 6.—Pal Moore, of Memphis, was given a referee's decision over Barry Bramer, of San Francisco, in an eight-round bout here last night. They are bantamweights.

Albuquerque, N.M., April 6.—"Fighting" Taylor, middleweight of St. Louis, knocked out Ed. Hagen, of San Francisco, here last night in the third round of a twelve-round boxing bout.

Newark, N. J., April 6.—Willie Meahan, of California, outfought Al Roberts, of New York, in an eight-round bout here last night. Meahan, who weighed 195 pounds, twenty pounds more than his opponent, was the aggressor throughout.

Clay Turner, of Madison, Wis., substitute for Al Weinst of Newark, defeated Ole Anderson, of Seattle, in an eight-round contest. Turner weighed 172 and Anderson 155.

Gene Tunney, of New York, light heavyweight champion of the American Expeditionary Force, knocked out "K.O." Sullivan, of Shenandoah, Pa., in the first round. Tunney weighed 175 pounds and Sullivan 170.

St. Louis, April 5.—Jack Lawler, of Omaha, knocked out Young Chas. (Chris Burkhardt), of New Orleans, in the third round of an eight-round bout here to-night. They fought at 120 pounds.

Lancaster, Pa., April 6.—Lew Tendler, Philadelphia lightweight, easily defeated Tim Droney, Lancaster, in six rounds here last night.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 6.—Bob Moha, Milwaukee, outpointed Paul Samson, New York, in a ten-round no-decision boxing contest here last night.

Montreal, April 6.—Jimmy O'Hagan, of New York, had a shade the better of a ten-round bout with "Happy" Howard, of Albany, here last night. The men are middleweights.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 6.—Joe Burman, of Chicago, had a shade the better of his six-round bout with Hughie Hutchinson, Philadelphia, here last night.

## PRINCE'S HORSES FOR CANADIAN RACES

New York, April 6.—The Times this morning says: "The horses which the Prince of Wales will race during the coming season on Canadian tracks are now at a Canadian port. The greater number of the horses are maidens and will face the barrier for the first time after arriving on this side of the Atlantic. However, a number of the thoroughbreds have raced in England. It is understood that the Prince plans to use some of the stock for breeding purposes, but this will not interfere with his racing plans for the coming Summer."

"J. Carlyle, who is in charge of the Prince's Alberta ranch, is now traveling eastward to superintend the unloading of the racers."

## READY TO SURRENDER SOON, SAYS JOHNSON

Calexico, Cal., April 6.—Jack Johnson, former world's heavyweight champion pugilist, sent for Sheriff Appollist, of Imperial County, yesterday and arranged to have the sheriff take him personally into custody when Johnson crosses the international line to meet Federal judges pending against him at Chicago. Johnson said he hoped to be ready to surrender soon.



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### STECHER RETAINS TITLE

Raleigh, N. C., April 6.—Joe Stecher, champion heavyweight wrestler of the world, successfully defended his title here last night in a match with Tommy Drank, of The Netherlands. Stecher took two successive falls, each with a body scissor and arm lock, the first in one hour and ten minutes and the second in one minute.

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## FIRST OCEAN SHIP ON QUAYSINO SOUND

S.S. Mandasan Maru Loaded  
Part Cargo of Pulp at Port  
Alice For Orient

After dispatching the Japanese freighter Mandasan Maru to sea with the first shipment of pulp sent overseas from the new Whalen pulp mill at Port Alice, Pilot W. H. Whiteley has arrived back in the city from the extreme northwestern point of Vancouver Island, where he was marooned for two weeks owing to lack of transportation. Pilot Whiteley, accompanied by Pilot W. H. Whiteley, the Mandasan Maru, Port Alice, where the steamship loaded a part cargo of pulp for the Orient. The Mandasan Maru is the first ocean-going steamship to touch at the pulp mill on Quaysino Sound.

After a lengthy wait at the West Coast port Captains Whiteley and Owen returned by a circuitous route. They secured passage on the Teco, which happened to go into Port Alice with coal from Boat Harbor. Rounding the north end of the island the Teco transported the pilots back to Boat Harbor, from which they took a motor launch to reach Victoria by train and automobile. The pulp mill at Port Alice is driving at full blast, according to Captain Whiteley, the output being sixty tons of pulp daily. In addition to her pulp cargo the Mandasan Maru carried a shipment of copper ingots and a deckload of lumber loaded on Puget Sound.

## CANADIAN WIRELESS GOVERNMENT REPORT

April 6, 8 a. m.  
Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 29.85; 41; hazy seaward.  
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 29.83; 36; sea smooth. Spoke str. Admiral Rodman, 11.30 p. m., off Cape Mudge, northbound.  
Pachena—Cloudy; S. E.; light; 29.77; 40; light swell.  
Estevan—Rain; calm; 29.76; 33; sea moderate. Spoke str. Bessie Dollar, midnight, 332 miles from Point Grey, westbound.  
Alert Bay—Rain; calm; 29.82; 42; sea smooth.  
Triangle—Cloudy; S. W.; light; 29.80; 35; sea smooth. Spoke str. J. A. Moffatt, 8 p. m., 60 miles from Ocean Falls, southbound; spoke str. City of Seattle, 8.20 p. m., 375 miles from Seattle, northbound; spoke str. Princess Beatrice, 12.20 a. m., entering Millbank Sound, southbound.  
Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; 29.80; 33; sea smooth.  
Ikeda Bay—Snow; calm; 29.76; 33; sea smooth.  
Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 29.64; 31; sea smooth.  
Ocean Falls—Snow; calm; 29.72; 35; sea smooth. Passed in str. Princess Beatrice, 5.30 a. m., southbound.

Noon.  
Point Grey—Clear; calm; 29.85; 42; sea smooth.  
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; S. E.; light; 29.83; 41; sea smooth.  
Pachena—Cloudy; S. E.; 29.74; 46; light swell.  
Estevan—Rain; S. E.; 29.70; 35; sea moderate.  
Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 29.84; 44; sea smooth. Spoke str. Admiral Rodman, 10.25 a. m., abeam, northbound.  
Triangle—Cloudy; N. W.; light; 29.78; 40; sea moderate. Spoke str. Prince Rupert, 1.50 a. m., off Pine Island, northbound.  
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 29.82; 40; sea smooth.  
Ikeda Bay—Overcast; calm; 29.72; 35; sea smooth.  
Prince Rupert—Cloudy; N. W.; light; 29.81; 49; sea smooth. Spoke str. Jefferson, 8.30 a. m., off Quadra Island, northbound.  
Ocean Falls—Cloudy; calm; 29.70; 41; sea smooth. Passed out, str. Princess Beatrice, 11.30 a. m., southbound.

## VESSELS' MOVEMENTS

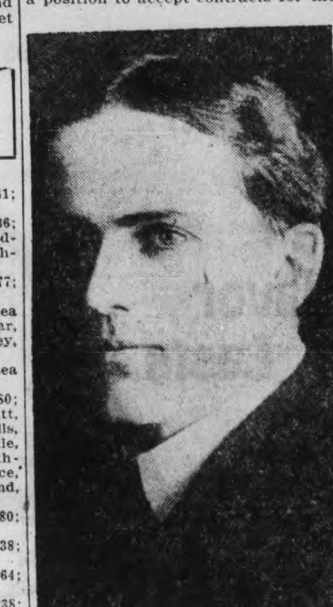
New York, April 5—Arrived: Str. Lafayette, from Havre.  
Plymouth, April 5—Arrived: Str. New York, from New York, for Southampton.  
Halifax, April 5—Arrived: Str. Carmania, from Liverpool.  
Cardiff, April 4—Arrived: Owatonna, from Portland.  
Portland, Ore., April 5—Arrived: Str. City of Topeka, Coos Bay.  
Seattle, April 5—Sailed: Admiral Goodrich, Southeastern Alaska; Ordono Maru, Yokohama and Kobe.  
San Francisco, April 5—Arrived: Str. H. L. Lovejoy, Port Ludlow; Martha Buchanan, Coos Bay; William F. Herrin, Astoria. Sailed: Str. Brookdale, Seattle, Gray's Harbor, Aberdeen; San Jacinto, Columbia River; Charles Christensen, Gray's Harbor.  
Yokohama, April 1—Arrived: Coaxet, from Portland.  
Antwerp, April 2—Arrived: Montreal, from Victoria, B. C.  
Isaguna, April 2—Arrived: Baja California, from Tacoma.  
Fayal, April 3—Arrived: Clackamas, from Portland, Ore.  
Hongkong, April 1—Sailed: West Jessup, for Seattle.  
Shanghai, April 1—Sailed: Empress of Japan, for Victoria, B. C.  
Sailed, Montevideo, for Victoria, B. C.  
Yokohama, April 4—Sailed: Wheatland Montana, for Seattle.

## C.P.R. TO ACQUIRE NEW COAST CRAFT

Vice-President D. C. Coleman  
Here to Confer With Capt.  
J. W. Troup

D. C. Coleman, Canadian Pacific Railway vice-president with jurisdiction over Western lines, arrived in the city by the morning boat from Vancouver, ostensibly on a holiday, but while here will combine business with pleasure. During his stay in Victoria, Mr. Coleman will confer with Captain J. W. Troup, manager of the B. C. Coast Service, relative to the acquisition of additional vessels for the company's coastwise service. The question of the construction of a new steel car-barge for the Vancouver-Ladysmith-Esquimalt service will also be discussed. It has been the intention of the company to order a steel car-barge for some time and quotations on the proposed work have been invited from various shipbuilders on the coast.

Additions to the C. P. R. fleet of coastwise passenger steamers prompted the recent visit of Captain J. W. Troup to the United Kingdom, when he investigated shipbuilding conditions with the object of acquiring more tonnage. Captain Troup, however, found that owing to the busy state of the British shipyards shipbuilders they would not be in a position to accept contracts for the



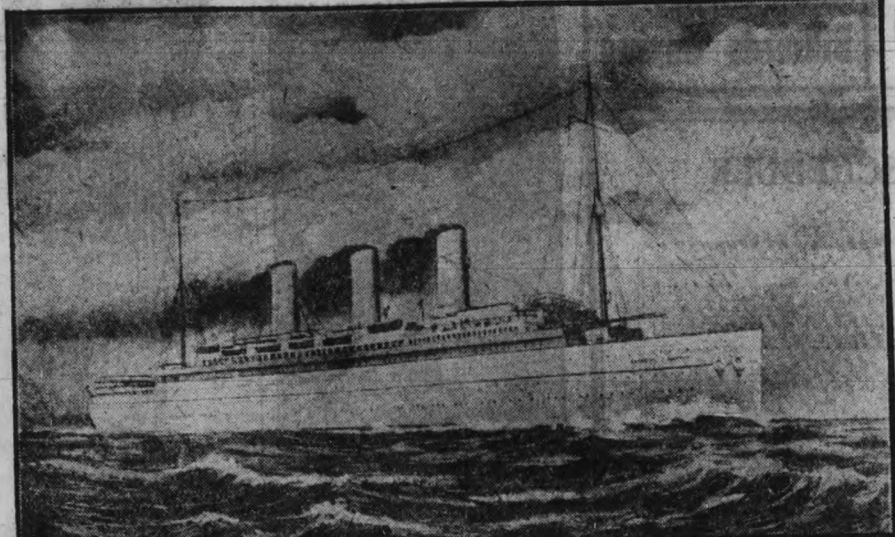
D. C. Coleman.

construction of vessels for two years. It is presumed, however, that the C. P. R. have under consideration either the purchase of suitable vessels or the alternative plan of building ships in this country. High cost of construction combined with the urgent need of more vessels for the British Columbia coast service may force the company to purchase. It is expected that this phase of the proposals will be taken up here. The C. P. R. is making preparations as far as possible to take care of the rush of tourist traffic this summer. In regard to immigration prospects Mr. Coleman says they are very good, especially from the United States. An excellent class of immigrant is also coming in from the United Kingdom. Mr. Coleman's visit is in the nature of a holiday and it is expected he will spend about ten days in Victoria.

## HEAVY SENTENCES GIVEN IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, April 6.—Sentences totalling fifty-five years imprisonment were passed this afternoon by Chief Justice Mathers on three men convicted of manslaughter for the killing of William De Forge in Winnipeg on October 18 last. W. H. Elnech is to spend twenty-five years in prison and Jack Clements and Harold Burdick fifteen years each.

## NEWEST LEVIATHAN OF C. P. S. O. FLEET



R. M. S. EMPRESS OF CANADA.

Reproduction of a picture of the new C. P. S. O. liner Empress of Canada, now under construction at the Fairchild yards on the Clyde. She will arrive out here next year and will be placed in the Oriental trade, supplementing the present service. Similar in design to the Empress of Russia and Empress of Asia, the Empress of Canada is larger, being 644 feet in length, 77 feet beam, 54 feet deep and of 22,000 tons displacement. She will develop a sea speed of 20 knots, and will be able to cut the run between Yokohama and Victoria to eight days.

## RETURN OF ROYAL MAIL IS PROBABLE

Investigations Being Made by  
Representative Now on  
the Coast

Vancouver, April 6.—There is every probability that within the next six months Vancouver will again see the Royal Mail steamers plying in and out of the port, if the investigations being carried on by E. J. Nash, of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, prove satisfactory. For several days past Mr. Nash has been delving into freight and general cargo conditions with a view to giving British territory on the Pacific coast of North America direct communication with Great Britain by the Royal Mail Line.

Prior to the war this line was a regular caller at Victoria and Vancouver, and its subsidiary company, the Pacific Steam Navigation Company, operated extensively along the coast as far south as Chile. At the present time it operates boats of 10,000 tons through the Panama Canal and down the west coast to Valparaiso. On its way from Britain to Vancouver the line will call at Cuba, and it is possible trans-Atlantic liners may be added to connect the American service with the Orient. When that is done the Royal Mail will again be an all-around-the-world line.

## SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of April, 1920:

Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	5:54	6:46
2	5:52	6:47
3	5:50	6:48
4	5:48	6:49
5	5:46	6:50
6	5:44	6:51
7	5:42	6:52
8	5:40	6:53
9	5:38	6:54
10	5:36	6:55
11	5:34	6:56
12	5:32	6:57
13	5:30	6:58
14	5:28	6:59
15	5:26	7:00
16	5:24	7:01
17	5:22	7:02
18	5:20	7:03
19	5:18	7:04
20	5:16	7:05
21	5:14	7:06
22	5:12	7:07
23	5:10	7:08
24	5:08	7:09
25	5:06	7:10
26	5:04	7:11
27	5:02	7:12
28	5:00	7:13
29	4:58	7:14
30	4:56	7:15

## SPECIAL CALL FOR ROTARIAN PARTY

To carry Rotarians back to  
Seattle the C. P. R. steamship  
Princess Victoria will arrive at  
the Outer Docks from Vancouver  
at 3 o'clock to-morrow morning,  
and will sail at 3.30 o'clock for  
Puget Sound.

## TYNDAREUS COMING FROM ORIENT PORTS

Big Blue Funnel Liner Is  
Looked For at Victoria on  
April 15

Although no official word has been received of the departure of the big carrier from Yokohama the coast agents of the Blue Funnel Line here are looking for the arrival of the Tyndareus from the Far East on April 15. The Tyndareus is laden with a full cargo of Oriental products for British Columbia and Puget Sound ports, and she will also disembark a number of Chinese steamer passengers at this port.

Captain G. L. Stout, one of the veterans of the Blue Funnel fleet, is in command of the Tyndareus. The Blue Funnel liner Proteus, which sailed for the Orient last week-end for China, Japan and Philippines, took out a cargo of 13,000 tons of lumber, box shooks, steel, cotton and general merchandise. The Proteus is commanded by Captain D. Mansfield, who has succeeded Captain Jimmy Read.

Another offshore liner due next week is the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Fushimi Maru, which is expected to dock here April 16 from Hongkong and Yokohama. The N. Y. K. liner Kashima Maru will sail on Saturday next with a capacity list of passengers for the Far East.

## SHIPOWNING FIRM OUT OF BUSINESS

Norfolk, Va., April 6.—H. B. Walker, president of the Old Dominion Steamship Company, announced to business interests of Norfolk that the company virtually had gone out of business with the sale of its ocean-going ships and suspension of its other business. The ocean-going vessels have been sold to McDonald & Trude, representing Italian interests, it was stated.

## NO TRACE YET OF MISSING MARINER

Friends of Capt. Stratford Un-  
able to Explain His  
Disappearance

Despite the activities of the police to solve the mystery of his disappearance no trace has yet been found of Captain Frank C. Stratford, local navigator, who has been missing from his home at Esquimalt since Thursday last.

The missing mariner was last seen on Government Street. It is stated by members of the Canadian Merchant Service Guild in company with "an engineer named Graves" who had previously seen service with him. Nothing is known here of Mr. Graves.

Nothing has since been seen of the man who was making inquiries for Captain Stratford and who was walking down Government Street. It was previously intimated that Mr. Stratford, formerly engineer on the S.S. Princess May, was the individual seeking Captain Stratford, but this proved to be incorrect, as Mr. Stratford is now aboard the whaling tender Gray in the North.

Friends of Captain Stratford are unable to fathom the cause of his mysterious disappearance. He had no financial troubles but had been troubled for some time past with ill-health.

The missing skipper had the reputation of being one of the best salvage experts on the Pacific Coast.

## NO WORD FROM WRECK.

No further word had been received to-day from the salvage operators working on the wrecked G. T. P. steamship Prince John at Skidegate Inlet.

A patch is being placed over the hole in the vessel's side, and pumps and gear have been placed aboard in readiness to pump the water out when conditions are favorable. The steamship Prince George is at Esquimalt to-day to have minor repairs carried out before resuming in the northern service.

Grandpa's little weakness was for a specially strong peppermint sweet, and recently he gave one to four-year-old Muriel, and waited to see what she would say. A little while later he saw her slip the peppermint out of her mouth, and place it on a table by the open window. "What's the matter, dear?" he asked. "Don't you like the sweet?" "Yes, thank you," said Muriel, politely. "I'm only letting it cool a little."

## CHALLONER & MITCHELL

Biggerstaff Wilson won the final game in the Challoner & Mitchell Golf Cup competition this afternoon, one up.

## MINING CONVENTION IN SOUND CITY

Seattle, April 6.—Delegations were arriving here to-day to attend the opening meeting to-morrow of the Seattle session of the International Mining Convention. The first delegation registered from Nelson, B.C., Frank A. Vanderlip, New York banker, has wired acceptance of an invitation to speak. Herbert Hoover, who was invited to address the convention, has telegraphed that he can not accept.

## AVIATION MEDICAL SERVICE PLANNED

Washington, April 6.—Creation of a special "Aviation Medical Service" in the Army Medical Corps is expected materially to reduce fatalities among fliers on active service, according to an official announcement. Statistics compiled by British military authorities were quoted as showing that during the first year of the war ninety per cent. of the deaths among British aviators were recorded as due to physical defects of pilots, eight per cent. to defective planes and two per cent. to defective weather. After the establishment of an aviation medical service, which made a special study of the qualifications necessary in an aviator, the present percentage of deaths due to the faults of the pilots was reduced to twelve.

## DENHOLM INQUIRY POSTPONED A DAY

The adjourned sitting of the Civic Conciliation Board's investigation of the Denholm dismissal has been postponed from Wednesday to Thursday evening. It was announced at the City Hall to-day. Great interest is being manifested in the second sitting as it is stated on reliable authority that evidence of a startling character will be introduced by persons who have suffered somewhat from testimony already recorded. It is understood that Rev. J. Gibson Inlander will be asked to attend to give evidence.

## DETROIT TO BUILD A STREET RAILWAY

Detroit, April 6.—The proposal sponsored by Mayor James Couzens to bond the city for \$15,000,000 with which to begin the building of a municipally owned street railway system to compete with the present Detroit United Railway carried off yesterday's election, according to complete figures tabulated in this city. The vote was 29,285 in favor of the bonding issue and 51,093 against it. The city council's total vote cast, against a required sixty per cent.

## VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS

Port Alberni—A mill for the Foundation Company is being built on the Carlin River near Stamp River. Installation and construction is in charge of Norman Wood. The mill, which is of the portable type, will be used to cut bridge timbers and other railroad lumber necessities.

May Day Ball.  
Port Alberni—A grand May Day Ball will be given by the Alberni Girls' Club in the G.W.V.A. Hall, Port Alberni, on Friday, April 30. The girls will be assisted by the Women's Auxiliary of the hospital and the proceeds will be for that institution. Crowning of May Queen will be a special feature.

Coal Shipments.  
Nanaimo—The coal shipments for export during last week totalled 1,841 tons, cargoes being carried by the vessels as follows: S.S. Apex, Anacortes, for Alaska, 116 tons; tug Mountaineer and two scows, for Tacoma, 789 tons; S.S. Victoria, Seattle, 500 tons; S.S. Imbreccaria, sea fisherman, 80 tons; S.S. Redwood, Bellingham, 376 tons.

Sidney Mill.  
Sidney—In order to increase the output of the plant, the Sidney Mills, Ltd., are having installed a new latest type. The new edger is capable of cutting a timber of much larger size than the one which has been in use, and the wood added materially to the output of the plant. The new machine is now being installed and this department of the mill has been closed down temporarily for the purpose.—Sidney Review.

May Build Hotel.  
Ladysmith—One of the results of the recent visit of the C.P.R. passenger agents to Ladysmith was the erection of a tourist hotel on Shell Beach. It was suggested by one of the visitors that no other place on the Pacific Coast offered the same advantages for a Summer resort as Ladysmith.

Mount Newton Lodge.  
Saanichton—The institution of Mount Newton Lodge, A.F. and A.M., recently under dispensation, will prove a great convenience to members of the Masonic fraternity in North and South Saanich and the adjacent islands who are unable to attend meetings in Victoria. It certainly will become so if the good wishes of the large number of members of the Victoria lodges are realized. Mount Newton Lodge has selected the second Thursday in each month as night of meeting.

Died at Ladysmith.  
Ladysmith—The death of Thomas Powell occurred at the Ladysmith General Hospital Saturday last, after a lingering illness of several months. He was a native of Wales, 66 years of age and had lived at Ladysmith for many years, and was for a number of years a resident of Nanaimo.

To Keep Bees.  
As soon as possible Mr. Rieger, who is now living in Victoria, will come up to Courtenay with sixty-five hives of bees, says The Comox Argus. This will make him quite the largest beekeeper in the Valley, and will stim-

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ulate activity in that branch of activity. So far Mr. Stewart, of Courtenay, the most colonies with the Rev. Thos. Menzies second. Mr. Rieger, who will bring a returned man up with him as partner in the enterprise, likely cancelled, the Graham place on the river front on the Union Bay Road. This he thinks a fine location for bees.

Puntledge Reserve  
Courtenay—H. S. Clements, M.P., makes the very interesting statement that the Puntledge Reserve will be likely cancelled, in which case Courtenay's request for a portion of it for a park would stand an excellent chance of it being granted. An aviator, the presentment through the Indian Commission has been willing for some time to grant a reserve for Courtenay on the Puntledge Reserve, the only impediment being the assent of the Provincial Government.

It is understood that the Provincial Government is likely to pass legislation to make this a fact.

Destroyed by Fire  
Comox—The isolation ward of St. Joseph's Hospital was completely destroyed by fire Wednesday morning at eight o'clock. The building stands two or three hundred yards from the main building, and is in the middle of a clump of trees at the top of Siwash Hill on the Courtenay-Comox Road.

G. W. V. A.  
Nanaimo—The G.W.V.A. button in gold, the past president's badge of honor, was presented to Mr. J. J. Cottle by the president, Mr. A. Murdoch, at the regular meeting of the G.W.V.A. Friday evening. Mr. Cottle held the office of president during 1919.

The association endorsed the attitude of the president in speaking against the Empire Day celebration being devoted to the War Memorial Fund.

Union Bay—The Canadian Collieries Company has secured a contract for bunker coal with the Harrison District Line sailing out of Liverpool. This will probably mean two boats a week. The C.P.R. is also taking 15,000 tons of coal for storage at Courtenay.

Campbell River—The Island Highway to Oyster River and Courtenay has been much improved in the past two weeks and there are now only one or two bad spots in the road. One of these is just past Oyster River.

Native Sons' Ball  
Nanaimo—Great things are expected of the Native Sons' Ball which is to be held on Thursday, April 8 in the Oddfellows' Hall. All Native Sons are working hard on various committees, and with the aid of the sister lodge, Native Daughters, arrangements are being fulfilled beyond the hopes of the most sanguine. The Native Daughters, although newly organized, are going ahead in great shape, and their share in the dance is by no means a small one. The decorations are to be novel and original, and the dance will be very proud of their work. Dancers will be pleased to learn that Hughes' orchestra has been engaged to provide the music, and that the members of that popular organization are preparing a special programme for the occasion. The supper is in charge of the Native Daughters, and will doubtless prove a feature of what promises to be the biggest event of the season.

## TIDE TABLE.

April.

Date	Time H. T.	Time L. T.	Time H. T.	Time L. T.
1	1:39	7:58	5:13	7:23
2	1:58	8:05	5:14	7:20
3	2:15	8:11	5:15	7:18
4	2:30	8:16	5:16	7:16
5	2:44	8:20	5:17	7:14
6	2:57	8:24	5:18	7:12
7	3:09	8:27	5:19	7:10
8	3:20	8:30	5:20	7:08
9	3:30	8:32	5:21	7:06
10	3:39	8:34	5:22	7:04
11	3:48	8:35	5:23	7:02
12	3:56	8:36	5:24	7:00
13	4:04	8:37	5:25	6:58
14	4:11	8:38	5:26	6:56
15	4:18	8:39	5:27	6:54
16	4:24	8:40	5:28	6:52
17	4:30	8:41	5:29	6:50
18	4:35	8:42	5:30	6:48
19	4:40	8:43	5:31	6:46
20	4:44	8:44	5:32	6:44
21	4:48	8:45	5:33	6:42
22	4:52	8:46	5:34	6:40
23	4:56	8:47	5:35	6:38
24	5:00	8:48	5:36	6:36
25	5:04	8:49	5:37	6:34
26	5:08	8:50	5:38	6:32
27	5:12	8:51	5:39	6:30
28	5:16	8:52	5:40	6:28
29	5:20	8:53	5:41	6:26
30	5:24	8:54	5:42	6:24

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 10 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without low water.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of low water.

Esquimalt.—To find the depth of water on the tidal dry dock at 6 a. m. add 13.0 feet to the height of high water as above given.

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## EUROPE WHITE STAR DOMINION LINE

PORTLAND, ME.—HALIFAX—LIVERPOOL  
Canada, Apr. 11, Apr. 11, Apr. 11  
Montreal-Quebec-Liverpool, May 1, May 1, May 1  
Meganic, May 22, June 1, June 1  
Canada, June 12, July 2, July 2

## AMERICAN LINE

NEW YORK-PLYMOUTH-CHEBOUG  
Philadelphia, Apr. 17, May 11, May 11  
New York, Apr. 24, May 18, May 18  
St. Paul, May 1, May 25, May 25  
Mongolia, May 8, May 22, May 22  
Manchuria, May 15, May 29, May 29

## RED STAR LINE

NEW YORK-SOUTHAMPTON-ANTWERP  
Finland, Apr. 17, Apr. 17, Apr. 17  
Kronland, May 1, May 1, May 1  
Lapland, May 8, May 8, May 8  
Zealand, May 15, May 15, May 15

## WHITE STAR LINE

NEW YORK-LIVERPOOL  
Celtic, Apr. 11, Apr. 11, Apr. 11  
Baltic, Apr. 18, Apr.



# at the Theatre

## DOMINION

It is an appealing bit of girl psychology that Marguerite Clark unfolds in her new picture, "A Girl Named Mary," which is being shown at the Dominion Theatre during the first part of the week. She has the role of a stenographer living in a humble flat with a woman whom she has always called mother. A rich widow has been searching for fifteen years for her daughter who was carried away, involved in a train wreck, and never heard from again. The widow suddenly discovers that Mary, the stenographer, is the long sought-for girl and she pours out her heart to her, offering her ease and luxury instead of her humble life of toil. Mary's heart is torn with conflicting emotions. She hardly knows her real mother and she has learned to love her foster-mother dearly. At first she rebels at the elegance and

## AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Pantages—Vaudeville.  
Dominion — "A Girl Named Mary."  
Variety—"Behind the Door."  
Columbia—"Six Shooter Andy."  
Romano—H. B. Warner in "For a Woman's Honor."

lady tastes of the widow's household and runs away. But finally a certain young man, the son of the widow, comes to her rescue, clearing up the difficulty by asking her hand in marriage.

## VARIETY

Announcement that Irvin W. Willatt directed Thomas H. Ince's special production, "Behind the Door," which is at the Variety Theatre this week, with Hobart Bosworth in the principal part, is sufficient guarantee that it will be complete in every detail. Mr. Willatt, previous to directing, was an actor, a photographer and laboratory superintendent. He knows the making of pictures from one end of the business to the other. His pieces of his vivid dramatic visualization of a story will be remembered in Thomas H. Ince's "The Guilty Man" and in "False Faces," featuring Henry Walthall. "Behind the Door" is a picture of a story. This was pictured by Luther Reed from the story of the same name by Gouverneur Morris. Mr. Willatt was given an all-star cast surrounding Mr. Bosworth and the picture promises to be one of the sensations of the year.

## PRINCESS

Miss Eva Hart, who is starring in the "Pirates of Penzance," the Gilbert and Sullivan Comic Opera which will be produced at the Princess Theatre this week-end, needs no introduction to the audience. Her wonderful voice and charming personality is known the length and breadth of the Pacific Northwest, but what is not so well known is that some of Miss Hart's greatest successes were in Gilbert and Sullivan Opera.

At the early stage of ten Miss Hart starred in London and the Provinces as Elsie Maynard in "Yeomen of the Guard," at eleven years she

## COLUMBIA

TO-DAY

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IN

"SIX-SHOOTER ANDY"

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"The Midnight Man"

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was drawing large audiences by her interpretation of the part of "Yum Yum" in the "Mikado" and at twelve she played a long season as "Patience," in the comic opera of that title, and she has been playing these and other leads in Gilbert and Sullivan with outstanding success ever since. All of her earlier performances were under the conductorship of Charles Geller, brother of the composer of "Dorothy" and musical director for many years at the Savoy Theatre, London, (the original London home of all Gilbert and Sullivan's operas), whilst her stage manager was the stage manager of that theatre. To her wonderful vocal talents was thus added the unique benefit of the finest musical and stage direction of the day.

In addition to Miss Eva Hart there has been assembled in connection with this production the largest array of vocal talent in the city and the houses will undoubtedly welcome "The Pirates" during their sojourn on the boards of the Princess. The booking office opens to-morrow at 10 a.m.

## COLUMBIA

Tom Mix has a splendid cast to support him in the new William Fox play "Six Shooter Andy." But there are players that are not in the cast. The host of men who make up the miners and the trappers and the cowboys and the Sheriff's henchmen are friends of Tom Mix and many of them are there just because they are his friends. He can get a better bunch of frontiersmen than anybody else in the world, because they are always at his elbow. They are his friends and if he is making moving pictures, they are also; they are naturally plausibles. He has taught them to be actors. "Six Shooter Andy" is showing at the Columbia Theatre this week.

## ILLUSIONIST HEADS

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Asahi, illusionist extraordinary, is completely mystifying in the presentation of his magical headliner act which is the big feature of the Pantages holiday bill of vaudeville. The entire bill is highly entertaining, more than one of the acts comes within the category of first line attractions.

There is a tabloid musical comedy with Florence Loraine and Johnny Asahi in the leading roles which effervesces with rollicking merriment. It is a Greenwald and Herman production and scintillates with all the latest features.

But Asahi and his select company are distinctive novelty entertainers. Asahi is an Oriental wizard who has it within his power to make water spring from apparently any source. His work in this phase of the act is exceedingly clever. He fills a bowl with water and then with his magic fan proceeds to mystify his audience. At his will a fountain of water spurts from the bowl, subsides and bursts forth again from the most unexpected places. In response to the movement of the magical fan water is ejected from the cranium of one of the startled attendants.

The human fountain has everybody guessing, but the thumb trick is equally mystifying. With his thumbs securely tied by a member of the audience the performer catches hoops between his arms and embraces other objects with the greatest of ease.

The magic trunk disappearing act, in which the girl inside the compartment effects a complete change of costume, is skillfully done.

The act embraces all the elaborate stage features peculiar to Oriental productions and richly embroidered silk kimonos are displayed by the performers.

The Greenwald and Herman production entitled "Will be Girls" is a breezy musical comedy production which is bound to please. Miss Loraine manages to keep her audience rocking in their seats with her

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farical impersonation of the Swedish domestic. Later, however, she appears transformed and charms with her delightful singing and dancing numbers. There are four other girls in the act who know how to wear stunning frocks.

Lucie Bruch, violin virtuoso, creates a lasting impression on her skilful playing. Sustained applause greeted the skill of this artist and she had to reappear before the appreciative audience was satisfied. Classic and popular numbers comprise her repertoire.

Ted McGrath and Jack Deeds are singing comedians appearing in a burlesque skit entitled, "I'm your Wife, Ain't I." The team makes a hit in their interpretation of "Alcoholic Blues," which is a veritable scream.

Freud Allen advertises himself as a "young fellow trying to get along" in this effort he certainly makes good. His great ambition is to keep people laughing all the time and he succeeds fairly well.

The show is opened by the Haas Brothers who put on a thrilling feat on the horizontal bars and also provide plenty of diversion in the way of comedy.

The Pantagescope, depicting scenic and comedy films, rounds out a splendid holiday bill.

## BUDGET PRINCIPLE IS

## LIQUIDATION THROUGH

## IMMEDIATE TAXATION

(Continued from page 8.)

statement of the revenues, current capital expenditures, property taxes, and other matters, was presented to the House. The Premier, Mr. Oliver, said that the House had been just as many mistakes in the engineering of the Panama Canal scheme as in other works of a similar nature. The Premier, however, had given very careful thought to the proposal, fully recognizing the difficulties of the situation, and in the case of failure or partial failure, the Province would be obliged to make a loss in connection therewith. But his Government was not intending to take the position assumed by the Leader of the Opposition himself in regard to the Province's financial position. He had given his Government's guarantee of bonds. In those cases his honorable friend assured the members of the Legislature that the proposal would not cost the Province one cent.

## Facing Both Ways

"The Leader of the Opposition speaks of a 'natural' of extravagance" and "deluge of taxation," the Premier proceeded. "Yet he says in one breath you don't want to harden the roads, build the university, hear the whole cost of the schools, give the amusement, personal property and motor taxes, the profits from the municipal government, the profits from the Government as a complicated piece of machinery, with many co-related parts—Imperial, Dominion, Provincial and Municipal—by the Premier pointed out that the Province of British Columbia exercised was conferred upon it by an act of the Imperial Parliament. Therefore, the Province might be said to be a creature of the Imperial Parliament, just as it might be said that the municipalities were creatures of the Provincial Legislature. Each co-related part of machinery had its own special work to do and that had to be done if the whole machine were to be operated successfully. With eighty-six per cent of the population and over ninety per cent of the land area of the Province within the confines of the municipalities, recalled the Premier, it would be quite evident that if the Government were to extend the municipalities, it would be obliged to reach out with the other hand and exact from the same municipalities the wherewithal to extend such assistance."

## Must Bear Burden

"The municipalities have incurred the debts," he said, "which are such a burden to them at the present time. They assumed the responsibility and they must accept a very large part of the burden. At the same time, the Legislature that the burden imposed upon the municipalities is in the shape of local improvement assessments. Many of these will disappear within a short time. I think that the position of the municipalities is not so desperate as would appear from a superficial examination. This Province has no revenue to spare. There was a time when through the administration of the late Capt. Tatlow, the Government accumulated a large cash surplus. At that time there was a demand for the municipalities that they be allowed to collect a personal property tax within their boundaries. I brought the matter to the attention of the Government of the day but it refused to hand over to the municipalities the personal property tax, notwithstanding the fact that it did not require it for Provincial purposes at that time."

## CIVIL SERVANTS HAVE

## NOT UNDELY EXPANDED

## SAYS TIMBER POLICY

## WAS MADE ELSEWHERE

"I do not know where the Leader of the Opposition obtained the figures quoted by him in connection with the salaries of civil servants," Mr. Oliver continued. The Premier

replied that he had not seen the figures and that he was not aware that it was the intention to make the levying of a tax upon persons compulsory upon municipalities.

To the somewhat scathing criticism of the Opposition Leader on the subject of increased amusement taxes, Mr. Oliver pointed out that the increase on the lower priced tickets was very small, but considerably higher on the higher priced ones. There might be a dispute, he said, as to whether amusements were a necessity or a luxury. At any rate, it was quite certain that many persons were able to live without attending picture shows or places of amusement. Nor did he think it could be argued for a moment that amusements were in the same class as food and clothing; yet there was the fact that Canada's customs tariff imposed a tax of \$4.10 per pound on imported cigars, ninety cents per pound on imported manufactured tobacco, fifteen to twenty-five per cent on unbleached cotton fabrics; seventeen and a half to twenty-five per cent on boots and shoes and twenty to thirty per cent on harness. In the case of Provincial taxation, he said, the whole tax went into the treasury for public purposes, but in the case of the customs tariff most of the increased cost went to the manufacturer and only a small proportion into the public treasury.

"Our people could get along without picture shows," he said, "but they cannot exist without boots, shoes and the other items I have mentioned."

**Sinking Funds**  
Mr. Oliver saw advantage in the suggestion of protection by the Province to the municipalities in the matter of their sinking funds, although the Opposition Leader's allegation that the Minister of Finance was

there was a gigantic combine fixing the exorbitant prices for lumber, if the statement were to be compared with the inference that this Government either was responsible for the combine or that it was its duty to take effective steps to reduce the cost of lumber to reasonable prices.

## Timber Under Licence

"I think it was the Leader of the Opposition who in his 1910 budget speech," Mr. Oliver proceeded, "told us that some 11,000,000 acres of timber had been put under licence. Naturally the persons staking timber would stake the best and most accessible first, and to-day there is little or no Crown timber accessible for the man who would put in a mill to compete with present prices. What would the honorable gentleman opposite do if they were in our position? Would they cancel the timber licences, as they cancelled their own, or would they take possession of the mills and lumber yards and sell the cut regardless of cost?"

## The Borrowings

Reverting to financial questions once more, and the Opposition Leader's demand for further contemplated borrowings, Mr. Oliver asked his friends opposite whether they would say the Government should not borrow the money to complete the P.E.G.E. Erie George, a necessary obligation as the direct result of the policy inaugurated by Mr. Bowser. The Opposition Leader, the Premier added, had given his assurance that the Province would not borrow the money to complete the P.E.G.E. Erie George, a necessary obligation as the direct result of the policy inaugurated by Mr. Bowser.

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Lucie Bruch, violin virtuoso, creates a lasting impression on her skilful playing. Sustained applause greeted the skill of this artist and she had to reappear before the appreciative audience was satisfied. Classic and popular numbers comprise her repertoire.

Ted McGrath and Jack Deeds are singing comedians appearing in a burlesque skit entitled, "I'm your Wife, Ain't I." The team makes a hit in their interpretation of "Alcoholic Blues," which is a veritable scream.

Freud Allen advertises himself as a "young fellow trying to get along" in this effort he certainly makes good. His great ambition is to keep people laughing all the time and he succeeds fairly well.

The show is opened by the Haas Brothers who put on a thrilling feat on the horizontal bars and also provide plenty of diversion in the way of comedy.

The Pantagescope, depicting scenic and comedy films, rounds out a splendid holiday bill.

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(Continued from page 8.)

statement of the revenues, current capital expenditures, property taxes, and other matters, was presented to the House. The Premier, Mr. Oliver, said that the House had been just as many mistakes in the engineering of the Panama Canal scheme as in other works of a similar nature. The Premier, however, had given very careful thought to the proposal, fully recognizing the difficulties of the situation, and in the case of failure or partial failure, the Province would be obliged to make a loss in connection therewith. But his Government was not intending to take the position assumed by the Leader of the Opposition himself in regard to the Province's financial position. He had given his Government's guarantee of bonds. In those cases his honorable friend assured the members of the Legislature that the proposal would not cost the Province one cent.

## Facing Both Ways

"The Leader of the Opposition speaks of a 'natural' of extravagance" and "deluge of taxation," the Premier proceeded. "Yet he says in one breath you don't want to harden the roads, build the university, hear the whole cost of the schools, give the amusement, personal property and motor taxes, the profits from the municipal government, the profits from the Government as a complicated piece of machinery, with many co-related parts—Imperial, Dominion, Provincial and Municipal—by the Premier pointed out that the Province of British Columbia exercised was conferred upon it by an act of the Imperial Parliament. Therefore, the Province might be said to be a creature of the Imperial Parliament, just as it might be said that the municipalities were creatures of the Provincial Legislature. Each co-related part of machinery had its own special work to do and that had to be done if the whole machine were to be operated successfully. With eighty-six per cent of the population and over ninety per cent of the land area of the Province within the confines of the municipalities, recalled the Premier, it would be quite evident that if the Government were to extend the municipalities, it would be obliged to reach out with the other hand and exact from the same municipalities the wherewithal to extend such assistance."

## Must Bear Burden

"The municipalities have incurred the debts," he said, "which are such a burden to them at the present time. They assumed the responsibility and they must accept a very large part of the burden. At the same time, the Legislature that the burden imposed upon the municipalities is in the shape of local improvement assessments. Many of these will disappear within a short time. I think that the position of the municipalities is not so desperate as would appear from a superficial examination. This Province has no revenue to spare. There was a time when through the administration of the late Capt. Tatlow, the Government accumulated a large cash surplus. At that time there was a demand for the municipalities that they be allowed to collect a personal property tax within their boundaries. I brought the matter to the attention of the Government of the day but it refused to hand over to the municipalities the personal property tax, notwithstanding the fact that it did not require it for Provincial purposes at that time."

## CIVIL SERVANTS HAVE

## NOT UNDELY EXPANDED

## SAYS TIMBER POLICY

## WAS MADE ELSEWHERE

"I do not know where the Leader of the Opposition obtained the figures quoted by him in connection with the salaries of civil servants," Mr. Oliver continued. The Premier

replied that he had not seen the figures and that he was not aware that it was the intention to make the levying of a tax upon persons compulsory upon municipalities.

To the somewhat scathing criticism of the Opposition Leader on the subject of increased amusement taxes, Mr. Oliver pointed out that the increase on the lower priced tickets was very small, but considerably higher on the higher priced ones. There might be a dispute, he said, as to whether amusements were a necessity or a luxury. At any rate, it was quite certain that many persons were able to live without attending picture shows or places of amusement. Nor did he think it could be argued for a moment that amusements were in the same class as food and clothing; yet there was the fact that Canada's customs tariff imposed a tax of \$4.10 per pound on imported cigars, ninety cents per pound on imported manufactured tobacco, fifteen to twenty-five per cent on unbleached cotton fabrics; seventeen and a half to twenty-five per cent on boots and shoes and twenty to thirty per cent on harness. In the case of Provincial taxation, he said, the whole tax went into the treasury for public purposes, but in the case of the customs tariff most of the increased cost went to the manufacturer and only a small proportion into the public treasury.

"Our people could get along without picture shows," he said, "but they cannot exist without boots, shoes and the other items I have mentioned."

**Sinking Funds**  
Mr. Oliver saw advantage in the suggestion of protection by the Province to the municipalities in the matter of their sinking funds, although the Opposition Leader's allegation that the Minister of Finance was

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## Timber Under Licence

"I think it was the Leader of the Opposition who in his 1910 budget speech," Mr. Oliver proceeded, "told us that some 11,000,000 acres of timber had been put under licence. Naturally the persons staking timber would stake the best and most accessible first, and to-day there is little or no Crown timber accessible for the man who would put in a mill to compete with present prices. What would the honorable gentleman opposite do if they were in our position? Would they cancel the timber licences, as they cancelled their own, or would they take possession of the mills and lumber yards and sell the cut regardless of cost?"

## The Borrowings

Reverting to financial questions once more, and the Opposition Leader's demand for further contemplated borrowings, Mr. Oliver asked his friends opposite whether they would say the Government should not borrow the money to complete the P.E.G.E. Erie George, a necessary obligation as the direct result of the policy inaugurated by Mr. Bowser. The Opposition Leader, the Premier added, had given his assurance that the Province would not borrow the money to complete the P.E.G.E. Erie George, a necessary obligation as the direct result of the policy inaugurated by Mr. Bowser.

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**\$2,600**—On 1/2 acre, 8-room, modern dwelling with basement, on Yale Street, Oak Bay. Lot is 50x125.

**\$2,200**—8-room, modern bungalow, on Oak Bay, furnace and basement; lot 45x100; \$1,500 cash, balance arranged.

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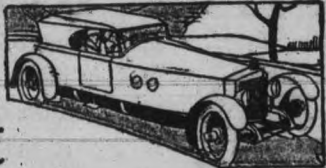
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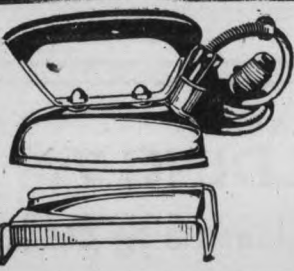
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ships on the coast within the last

three months, and declared the law  
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vehicle used to transport liquor.  
Highway maps showing routes to  
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### FEARS JAPANESE INFLUENCE IN ORIENT

The only hope for this sorely distressed world lies in the hands of the British Empire and the United States, Lieut.-Col. David Barrows, President of the University of California, told one thousand Rotarians assembled at the Empress Hotel in the Pacific Northwest Rotary Conference for Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. He warned against the Imperialist ambitions of Japan in the Far East.

Col. Barrows during the war was first lieutenant to Herbert Hoover in American food relief work in Belgium and later was one of the Allied leaders in handling the Russian situation. He spoke for more than an hour on Siberia, the Bolsheviks and America and world politics generally.

He urged the duty of the United States with all its wealth and high industrial development to play its part in working for the safety of the world.

**Duty to Civilization.**  
"We in the United States owe something to other countries and other people in the interests of our civilization," said Col. Barrows.

"I have enough confidence in the spirit of my own people and the tenacity of the British character to be certain that these two peoples and stocks will hold together for the stabilizing of this grievously disorganized world."

**Bolshevism Irreconcilable.**  
"The duty of our nation and the British nation is to have no dealings with the Bolsheviks. The great peace drive on the part of Bolshevism is on now. But Lenin himself said some time ago: 'We will offer terms of peace to the capitalist nations so that we can strengthen our forces.'"

"Remember that Bolshevism is the irreconcilable war on the nations. Now don't make terms with it. To do that is silly. There is only one outstanding manly thing to do and that is to fight it."

**Must Watch Japan.**  
"All countries are now out of Siberia but Japan. Japan still has 75,000 troops there. And Japanese policy is still highly militaristic. Japan still believes that great empire is to be won by force and now counts on the weariness of our country to gather in a great empire for herself."

"The thing the Japanese has shown is that he is not a colonizer. He is the poorest sort of a colonial empire builder and any people that falls under his domination is unfortunate."

Col. Barrows declared that one fault with the United States now is that she has not the courage to say nay to Japan when she talks of the closed door in China.

**Land of Future.**  
"Asia is the continent of the immediate future," the Colonel and university president said. "Asia is going to afford us the great sensations. And the key to Asia's immediate future is in the land of Siberia."

When one goes to Russia or some part of that formerly great empire, he is confronted with the greatest of white nations in numbers and area of land they hold. It is one thousand miles more across Siberia than it is across this country. The forests of Siberia are three times the size of the combined forest areas of the United States and Canada. But it is not merely a country of forests and products of the forest. It is coming rapidly to be a country that yields the products of human industry. The Ural Mountains produce 94 per cent. of the world's platinum. Here is a country habitable but undeveloped.

**Peasants Need Education.**  
"Give the great peasant stock enlightenment so that it will not be at the mercy of every rumor and you will have a population marked by its intellectual quality."

"The thing that has held Siberia back is the difficulty of transportation. All the great rivers of the country with the exception of the Amur debouch in the Arctic. This has made the exploitation of Siberia take place chiefly by land."

"Siberia offers the man of the right

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**Bolshevism Implies Violence.**  
"Bolshevism, what is it?"  
"Bolshevism is thorough-going communism. It aims to destroy private property and aims to destroy representative institutions of government, replacing them by committees of propertyless workmen called soviets. It aims to spread this through the world by violence."

"A man is not a Bolshevik unless he advocates violence. People who advocate communism without violence may be shadow or parlor Bolsheviks, but they are shams and not the real thing."

**I. W. W. Closely Akin.**  
Col. Barrows traced the development of Bolshevism from fifteen years ago when the Russian social democratic party split at its Stockholm convention over the methods of carrying out their programme. Lenin and his party stood for violence, while the other side advocated political action. The party for violence finally won out and became known as the Bolshevik or majority party.

"The I. W. W. movement which arose on this continent about the same time was to a considerable degree a repetition of the communist doctrine advanced in Russia, he explained."

The Russian revolution of 1917 was to achieve what Russia has been achieving in other countries by political action.

**Overturn All Government.**  
"Bolshevism aims to organize the minority, a determined minority that will proceed to every act of violence to overturn government everywhere and put authority in the councils of the propertyless workmen," Col. Barrows went on. "It treats all classes except the propertyless as enemy classes."

Col. Barrows reviewed the fight waged against Bolshevism by the Russians themselves, then by the Czechoslovaks and detachments of the Allied forces. He declared that the fighting done by some of the Czechoslovak forces was the finest during the whole war, but the Allies failed to back them up with force.

**Allies' Last Chance.**  
"We did not have any policy in Russia," he went on. "The Czechoslovaks after pleading with us for some time to send aid, went alone and undertook to hold the line of the Volga River. One or two divisions of seasoned troops from us when the decision was tottering might have ended Bolshevism. But by the time aid was decided on by us it was too late. The Bolsheviks had organized. They then captured Kolchak and executed him."

Col. Barrows denied the accuracy of stories circulated in this country about Kolchak being a murderer, a monarchist, a reactionary. He declared these stories were put out for propagandist purposes.

"I knew Kolchak very well and talked with him in moments of great emotion," he said. "Kolchak was a sincere republican. He was a progressive man and he was a patient man."

**ROTATING AROUND**  
Charles E. Cochran is the new governor of the 22nd Rotary district comprising Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. He succeeds Clayton M. Williams, of Everett. Mr. Cochran is a Portland attorney and is an old-time Rotarian. He was nominated by Jack Kearns, president of the Vancouver Club. His election was unanimous and he was inaugurated when no other names were put in nomination.

Rotary stunt night jammed the Royal Victoria Theatre last night. Only those bearing membership tickets in the conference were admitted. Stunts were put on by the Vancouver, Bellingham, Everett, Spokane, Seattle, Tacoma and Portland Clubs. It was like college night at a theatre, with those who were staid, solid business men forgetting that they were such. Lieut. Bob Webb took charge of the audience, while the scene shifters worked between acts and there was a director who could resist singing the songs as they were thrown on the screen.

The Tacoma stunt was generally credited with being of a higher order than the others. It consisted in the singing of several songs by a male and female double quartette. "Tacoma brought something new in the line of Rotary stunts," said one delegate from another city. "Tacoma got away from the old worn out gags and line of talk that other clubs have been sticking to."

Among the guests at the stunts were: Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Prior, H. J. S. Musket, the Governor's Secretary, the Hon. John Oliver, Premier of British Columbia, Mrs. Oliver and Miss Oliver, the Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works and Mrs. King, the Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance and Mrs. Hart, W. J. Bowser, Opposition leader, and Mrs. Bowser.

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Bert Adams and his family were there. And so was Clayton M. Williams, District Governor.

After the stunts there were all sorts of private parties. Among them was the party given at his home on Moss Street by James Hunter, a past president of the Victoria Club. About forty were present. Hunter's guests. There were other little parties at the Empress Hotel and also dancing there.

Final attendance figures issued today are: Salem, 9; Yakima, 27; Astoria, 9; Nainburg, 5; Vancouver, 135; Bellingham, 48; Everett, 89; Portland, 117; Seattle, 196; Walla Walla, 11; Spokane, 39; Hoquiam, 8; Tacoma, 90; Victoria, 286; visitors 10. Total, 1,083.

Before the Yakima delegation of twenty-seven set out for Victoria, there was a sudden demand for Canadian currency. Canadian money had not been as popular in that part of Washington since the aftermath of the war came along and upset all exchanges. On the theory that \$1 in American money will not buy as much entertainment as can be secured by changing that \$1 into \$1.08 of Canadian money, Secretary O. C. Soots of the Yakima Commercial Club went out and scoured the town for \$1,080 of Canadian currency. The fact that they are getting eight cents more of fun here than what they expected to pay is one reason why Yakima Rotarians are having such a time in Victoria.

One of the Portland Rotarians who says he is having a good time in Victoria is H. H. Francisco, general agent of the Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway, which is just opening up its offices again after the opening up of the Railroad Administration has had them for a few years. Mr. Francisco has charge of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia and besides rotating around Victoria is looking up all the railroad men. The Santa Fe is getting on the job again, he says.

Various reasons were given for the delay in beginning this morning's session. Sergeant-at-Arms, Jimmy Adams, and a corps of assistants worked for more than half an hour to drag delegates into the conference hall.

"Charlie Cochran's watch was twenty minutes slow, and I was going by that," was the excuse of Clayton M. Williams, District Governor.

ton M. Williams, District Governor, as he rushed to the platform.

"I went to bed too early, and I guess there were a lot of others who did the same; that's the trouble," Dr. Douglas, of Portland, told the conference.

Charles L. Armstrong, formerly of Victoria, known chiefly in newspaper and advertising work, is over with the Seattle Rotary delegation.

Two Rotarians were up early today, anyway. They were a man and his wife from Seattle. They were seen walking in Beacon Hill Park at 8 o'clock this morning.

This is the song some of the appreciative clubs were singing at the Royal Victoria Theatre last night:

"I'll be winking an eye  
If I hear Victoria's dry,  
Oh dear, I'd rather be here,  
I don't want to go home."

To take home those who wish to save a day, the Vancouver to Seattle boat will call here at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, which will be the time of the close of tonight's dance. The boat will not come to the Inner Harbor, but berth at the Outer Docks. The automobile committee are taking the names of those who want to join this boat.

Another Victoria surprise was sprung when Mrs. Leonard D. Rines appeared in the midst of the Portland delegations at the Empress and Westmore Hotels with her arms laden with wild lilies. Mrs. Rines gathered the lilies out near the Uptown. The Portland women were not long in dividing up the bunch.

"It's going to be some dance tonight," said Ernie J. Down, entertainment chairman, referring to tonight's little function that will overcrowd the Empress Hotel.

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